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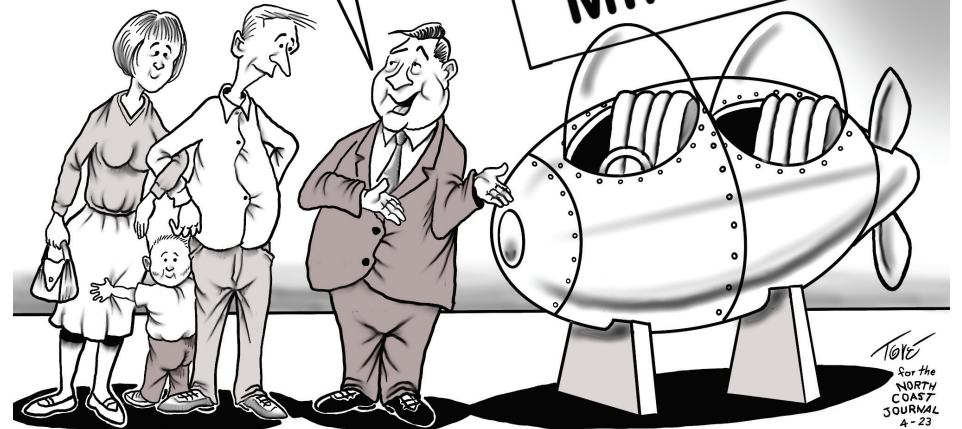
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Terry Torgerson

‘Entitlement’

Editor:

How interesting! Entitlement behaviors exposed on both ends of the spectrum. This has become The American Plague: *entitlement*.

A monied developer/contractor/business man indignantly claiming innocence and victimhood, schmoozes and lies and brazenly flouts adhering to any rules previously agreed to and then threatens to leave Humboldt County because he has been so poorly treated (“Poke the Bear,” April 20). If he does indeed leave, thank goodness and good riddance. It seems unclear what will happen at the property. It’s a shame that whole area was opened to development at all. And he has the FN audacity to bring up housing in Humboldt County!?!? The alternate owner-occupied ordinance certainly needs to be addressed. Seems obvious that this man, Travis Schneider, requires serious monitoring; he is *not* to be trusted!

Similar and only slightly different are the homeless people who game the system and trample all over the environment and everyone else’s rights because they can. They have set up camps in backyards on private property, fenced areas at churches, in front of business entrances, etc. They recognize zero boundaries as far as they are con-

cerned. I’m surprised it’s taken this long for an audit to be considered ... that is a pile load of money spent to curb the nasty situation homelessness has become (NCJ Daily, April 20). It’s spring. The parade of market carts, baby buggies and tents will get more prevalent as nature blossoms and the weather gets sweeter. Putting up chain fences that get cut, cutting away foliage to expose trespassers isn’t working. All that does is destroy more habitat for wildlife. People who really need and want help should get it. Mentally ill folks would do better admitted to a facility and all the rest of the derelict dregs need to be confined to a designated area with structure and discipline or escorted out of Humboldt never to return. Sounds harsh, but it is out of control. Everyone needs to be accountable for their actions ... even inactions. There needs to be consequences for bad behavior!

Kathryn Travers, Eureka

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Snow Geese

run to see beyond the trees
five hundred or so
snow geese in their
vees -
telling travelers' tales to the
island below.

and here, down here,
a thousand robins sing
their nest-building song -
so soon?
and the long-tailed ducks?
will they leave tonight?
on the fifth of march
we saw eight, maybe more,
and close to shore
not a hundred yards from our
mail box -
we watched them dive
while i held a
drugstore flyer in
my hands -
what could be more ordinary?
and tonight, i do believe
they plan to leave.
when they return
where will we be?

the wind races through
the tops of the trees -
the sky flat grey and
the temperature
is falling
again with the light.
salmonberries are blooming and
the
alders' red catkins cast a warm
burnished glow -
the curve
of the grass covered trail
against the snowberries -
each perfect thing -
each loving old thing -
can I wear them?
as a garland or
wreath, boughs of
dougfir and spent deer bones?
or graft fallen limbs
to the tips of my fingers and
wave my hands through
the night in the warm
storm sky
grazing the snow geese
as they fly?

— monte merrick

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Community Brings Attention to Drink Spiking in Arcata

By Ollie Hancock

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While a spate of recent social media posts on Facebook, Instagram and Reddit have warned of increased drink spiking at Arcata bars, the North Coast Rape Crisis Team says it has not seen an increase in such reports, though it fields 20 or so monthly, on average.

Late last month, a post circulated on Instagram informing the community of a drink-spiking incident at an Arcata bar, while an April 16 post on the Reddit forum r/Humboldt read, “This past couple months or so people have been getting spiked at the Alibi, Jam and Cider bar. Friday night, I was roofied at the Jam.”

The comment section was full of other community members’ reports of spiked drinks, a handful within the past few weeks. Commenters reported experiences in which they were drugged but able to make it home safely, thanks to support from a friend. Their experiences were not limited to Arcata, with some reporting similar experiences in Eureka bars.

Amanda LeBlanc, executive director of the North Coast Rape Crisis Team (NCRCT), said the nonprofit’s hotline has not seen any recent increase in calls regarding drug-facilitated assault. However, NCRCT receives more than 20 calls a month regarding drug-facilitated assault to its 24/7 hotline, LeBlanc said. Calls range from reports from people who suspect they have been drugged to people just seeking more information about drug-facilitated assault.

“We’re not seeing a spike but what I can tell you is that we consistently get reports of people who experience symptoms of being drugged,” LeBlanc said. “This isn’t a gendered issue. It happens to men, it happens to women, people who are nonbinary, old and young. It can happen to anybody.”

Mike Munson, who owns the Jam in Arcata, said he has not seen any reports of spiked drinks in the past three years. The Jam’s bartenders and doormen are

trained to look out for signs, he said, and in the case of a reported drink spiking, they have the resources to test drinks.

“We’ve dedicated resources to make sure that this doesn’t happen in our venue. I certainly respect that this does happen, and we take it very seriously,” Munson said. However, in regard to the recent social media posts, he’s skeptical and said they are attempts to malign his business. “We can’t find one person who’s actually a victim. Until I find one victim, I’m going to assume there is an ulterior motive.”

Arcata Police Chief Brian Ahearn also said his department has not seen an increase in reports.

“It has been years since the last APD criminal investigation of spiked drinks in Arcata,” he said. “Reports come into APD in all different types of formats. All of the recent social media posts are considered reports of date rape drugs in Arcata. I cannot recall, other than being told about these recent social media posts, the last report related to date rape drugs.”

LeBlanc says going to law enforcement isn’t a viable option for everyone, so many cases go unreported.

Timothy Overturf, who owns the Arcata Theater Lounge, says he’s received 12 reports of suspected drink spiking at the establishment within the past three years. Overturf says he will investigate internal surveillance footage if a survivor asks him to, which happened after two of the reports. In those cases, he said he reviewed hours of camera footage, tracking the survivor throughout the night to find a potential perpetrator. The venue also uses an ID scanning system to track everyone who has come in, he said, but has yet to track down a responsible party.

“None of those times we actually reviewed the footage were we able to find anything obvious happening on camera,” Overturf said. “It’s like sleight of hand, you know. It only takes a second or two to get it done.” He said he

is open to solutions and wouldn’t mind paying for drink covers or drink test strips to make patrons more comfortable.

“Making sure that your customers feel good and comfortable inside the venue is something that is important, more than just for business,” he said. “I do want them to feel comfortable, no matter what.”

LeBlanc said she wants to see businesses take care of their patrons, saying when they see potentially harmful behavior, they should call it out. She said bars also should not serve people who they feel may do harm.

“If bars want to have test strips, that is a mitigation strategy, but the number one drug used in drug-facilitated assault is alcohol,” she said, adding that testing spiked drinks is challenging because many different drugs can be used and test strips only detect the common date rape drugs ketamine, GHB and Rohypnol. “It’s very, very difficult to find out what drug has been put in someone’s drink, and a lot of them leave the body very quickly.”

NCRCT and APD recommend protective measures for patrons and venues. Venues should have working camera systems and ID scanning, if possible, and staff should be trained on what to do in the event of a report. They stress that everyone should call out potentially harmful behavior when they see it, and encourage going out in groups to ensure there is a trusted person nearby to help take care of someone if they’ve been drugged or had too much to drink. And both organizations say people should not accept drinks from strangers or consume a drink left unattended for any amount of time.

But LeBlanc said while precautionary measures can help prevent incidents, the community focus should be on preventing perpetrators.

“My advice would never be, ‘Cover your drink.’ Rather people need to stop putting [drugs] in others’ drinks,” LeBlanc said.

LeBlanc said if someone believes their drink has been spiked, they should first put it down and let someone know. Then, she said, it is recommended they inform the bartender or bouncer of the situation and move to a safe place. Once in a safe location, they can determine if medical attention is needed. The last step is to consider making a report to NCRCT’s 24-hour hotline or law enforcement.

There is always a choice to report, LeBlanc said, and no one is required to go to law enforcement. Any concerned individual may call NCRCT’s hotline for support. If they feel comfortable, there is the option to make an official report. (NCRCT does not require law enforcement involvement to make such a report with the nonprofit.)

“It’s very individualized. There is someone available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, who has training in what drug-facilitated assault looks like, and who can help the survivor,” she said of the hotline.

NCRCT is survivor-forward and affirms the experiences of those who report, LeBlanc said, explaining there is no requirement to disclose information for those just looking for support after a traumatic experience.

“And it’s never too late to just reach out for support. We serve all genders. We serve anyone who has experienced harm and also anyone who supported someone through that experience,” LeBlanc said. NCRCT also offers services for friends of survivors who may need support after helping a friend through a drink spiking.

If you or someone you know has experienced sexual assault or sexualized violence, the North Coast Rape Crisis Team 24-hour hotline can be reached at (707) 445-2881. ●

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Police Shooting Investigation

Two suspects in critical but stable condition

By Kimberly Wear
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Four Humboldt County Sheriff's Office officers remain on paid administrative leave following an April 18 police shooting at a busy Eureka intersection after two suspects in an armed robbery and pedestrian hit-and-run crashed into another vehicle while fleeing a deputy. The suspects, identified by law enforcement as brothers Brandon Widmark, 27, and Jesse Widmark, 18, both suffered multiple gunshot wounds. As of Tuesday, they were listed in critical

but stable condition, according to the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office. At least six others were also injured, two seriously, in a series of incidents allegedly tied to the suspects that began with a report of an armed robbery and assault near the Bayshore Mall at 2:49 p.m. and ended with police shooting them 28 minutes later, allegedly after they banished weapons and fired at officers. No police were injured. At a joint Eureka Police Department

and Humboldt County Sheriff's Office press conference called a day after the shooting, Sheriff William Honsal said the pursuit began at 3:15 p.m. after a deputy on patrol in the Cutten area spotted a red 2004 Ford F-250 matching the description of one reported to have fled both the Bayshore Mall scene and a pedestrian hit-and-run at West Washington and Summer streets that occurred shortly afterward. Honsal said the suspects' vehicle fled up Dolbeer Street at a "high rate of speed" after the deputy attempted to pull it over and collided with a Toyota truck at the intersection with Harris Street moments later, with both vehicles coming to rest in a private yard. According to Honsal, the two suspects emerged from the red truck following the crash "armed with rifles pointed at the deputy across the intersection" and fired at least one shot, hitting the deputy's vehicle. Two deputies, who arrived as backup in an unmarked HCSO truck and pulled alongside the suspects' truck, fired their weapons at the suspects, as did another deputy, who had pulled up across the street, the sheriff said. Honsal said the "suspects were struck by gunfire," dropping their weapons at that point. They were taken into custody and deputies initiated medical aid until the ambulance arrived. Two other people in the suspects' truck — a 37-year-old woman and a 2-year-old child — received



Eureka Police Chief Todd Jarvis, left, and Sheriff William Honsal speak during an April 19 press conference on the police shooting.
Photo by Mark McKenna



The suspects' truck where it came to land in a private yard after crashing into another vehicle at Dolbeer and Harris streets in Eureka on April 18.
Photo by Mark McKenna

minor injuries in the crash. The 42-year-old driver of the Toyota that was hit sustained moderate injuries, while a 27-year-old female passenger received major injuries. A 2-year-old boy with them was not physically injured, according to officials.

The 33-year-old male Bayshore Mall assault victim suffered minor head injuries from being hit with a gun, and the 34-year-old male pedestrian received major injuries. He was reported to be in stable but critical condition as of April 19.

Two schools and a preschool in the vicinity of the shooting were placed on lockdown.

The three law enforcement officers who fired their weapons were identified as a sheriff's office sergeant with 14 years of experience, a deputy with six years of experience and a deputy with 10 years of experience. The deputy involved in the initial pursuit has five years of experience.

They were all placed on administrative leave pending an administrative investigation, according to the HCSO, which is standard protocol.

HCSO spokesperson Samantha Karges told the

Journal in an email

Tuesday that the officers' names will be released, and she anticipated that would happen soon but did not have a specific date.

EPD and the Humboldt County District Attorney's Office are heading the ongoing multi-agency investigation into the shooting.

"We will conduct the investigation start to finish and eventually send the case to the district attorney's office for potential prosecution," Eureka Police Chief Todd Jarvis said at the April 19 press conference.

Officials have not released how many shots were fired by HCSO personnel or how many times the suspects were hit.

"At this point in the investigation, we can only share that multiple rounds were fired by the deputies and at least one round was fired by the suspects," Karges said in an email Tuesday.

Honsal released similar information April 19, stating that evidence collected

at the scene indicates "there were multiple shots fired by at least two deputies."

In response to follow-up questions on why more specific information was not being released at this time, Karges stated it was not the HCSO's intention to conceal information and noted it had only been seven days since the incident occurred.

She also said that criminal charges have not yet been filed.

"The investigation is still underway and has not yet been sent to the District Attorney's Office," Karges said. "As to not jeopardize this investigation, further information will not be released."

EPD Assistant Chief Brian Stephens responded to an email late Tuesday but similarly declined to release additional information in the case, citing the early stage of the investigation.

Honsal said the deputies did have body-worn cameras but they "were not activated at the time of the incident" and were only turned on afterward. When asked why the cameras were not on, the sheriff said, "That's going to be a question that we will be asking."

The sheriff said private video showing "some segments of this

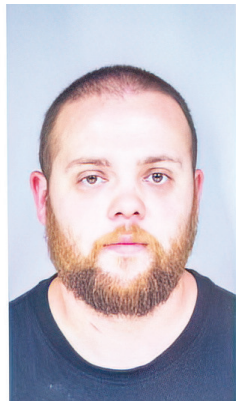
incident" was also recovered.

The Widmark brothers, who are believed to currently reside in Mendocino County but have "family ties to Humboldt County and frequently come here," are also suspected in an April 14 robbery that occurred in the Valley West area of Arcata, Honsal said.

According to HSCO, three weapons associated with the suspects were recovered during the scene investigation: a Winchester Model 70 bolt-action 270 rifle, a Marlin Model 60 .22 caliber long rifle and a SigSauer M17 Airsoft handgun.

Jarvis asked anyone with information about the case or suspects to contact Eureka Police Department Detective Raymond Nunez at (707) 441-4109. ●

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Photos of suspects Brandon Widmark and Jesse Widmark as shown during an April 19 press conference. Photo by Mark McKenna

'The Damage is Real'

By Trisha Sanders

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On April 19, my work site had a lockdown drill during the afternoon portion of the day. Schools have a minimum of two lockdown drills a year, in addition to monthly fire drills and less frequent earthquake drills. Drills have extremely loud alarms and flashing lights. It is very negatively stimulating. Many of my students asked when the drill would be starting. The anticipation was distracting.

My students had the support of entering a darkened room after lunch recess (we take naps) and a gentle class drill practice the day before. Knowing that the drill can lead to intense feelings of fear, I led the children to our hiding place two minutes before the alarm sounded so the kids could have a moment to settle before the drama began. One child still bolted. Four children pressed tightly to two classroom teachers. Most children covered their ears and tucked their little bodies even tighter into themselves. Loud alarms went off three ... four ... five times.

It is really hard to be calm through the noise.

Our principal came onto the intercom reading her script in a very loud and very stern voice.

It was really hard to stay calm through the noise.

After the noise went away, we sat as quietly as we could. We heard the outside staff shake both our classroom doors and rattle the doorknobs.

It was really hard to stay calm.

We sat as quietly as we could.

We waited. And we waited.

Schools hold two types of safety lockdowns. Hard lockdowns are when we hide. Soft lockdowns are when we can have normal activities inside a tightly locked classroom with all windows darkened. Students appeared more relaxed when their classroom routine returned during a soft lockdown, but as we moved from a hard to soft lockdown,

I saw much more hyperactivity and negative social behaviors than typically observed. We went outside to the playground as quickly as we could to move the fear off our bodies.

This is a classroom of 4- and 5-year-old children. They are not yet experienced in the world of recurring gun violence. When we practice these drills, they hear the voice tone used as if we are practicing writing the letters of our names or keeping our hands to ourselves.

My students are the youngest students at their school. They will have 14 years to experience this school-based trauma. Add in the lockdowns that are real, the lockdowns that teachers know aren't really a practice, the lockdowns that involve active shouting, gun fire, explosions. The damage is real.

If a person holding a gun enters my classroom, I will die. Most of my children will die. At professional development trainings, I am taught to run (with a class of students following me — children I love as much as my own sons?), to fight (we are told to whack a person with a fire extinguisher — hand-to-hand combat should now be discussed in a teaching contract?) or to hide.

This is wrong. My words are not just a statement of fact, but a call to action.

Remove all gun lobbyists and misinformation. Interpret the Second Amendment for a world which we have created and now live in. ●

Trisha Sanders is a teacher for Eureka City Schools and an active Eureka Teacher's Union member.

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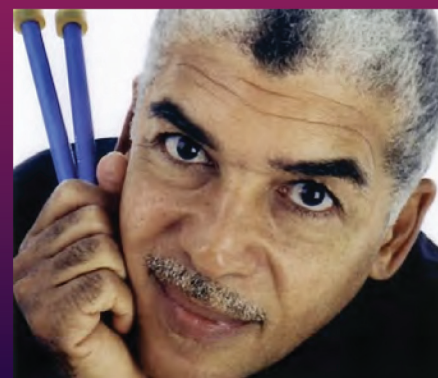
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Proponents Stand by Cannabis Reform Initiative

Proponents of the Humboldt Cannabis Reform Initiative are standing by their proposal that would overhaul the county's cultivation regulations if passed by voters next year, saying the county's analysis of the measure is "packed with factual errors, untruths and distortions."

A county staff report on the 38-page initiative presented to the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors last month warned it would have "dire consequences" for the industry, saying that in addition to capping the number and size of new cannabis farms in the county, it would also immediately render 400 of the county's permitted farms "non-conforming." Due to ambiguities in the initiative's language, staff also posited the initiative could then prevent these already permitted farms from making environmental improvements — like adding solar arrays or increasing water storage — and obtaining non-cultivation permits that would allow for tourism or processing on site.

At the supervisors' March 7 meeting, dozens of cultivators addressed the board to decry the initiative, warning it would have dire impacts on an already struggling industry.

The board appointed an ad-hoc committee — comprising Fourth District

Supervisor Natalie Arroyo, Second District Supervisor Michelle Bushnell and Planning Director John Ford — to meet with the initiative's proponents to see if they could find common ground and persuade them to pull the initiative from the March of 2024 primary ballot. (Because the initiative has qualified for the ballot it can't be amended before going before voters, and if passed it could only be changed by another vote of the people.)

The ad-hoc committee reportedly met at least twice but does not seem to have moved the needle, as the initiative's proponents sent a letter to the county last week alleging the county staff analysis contained "inaccuracies and mischaracterizations." Further, the letter warned that continued efforts by the county to disseminate information about the initiative could run afoul of the California Political Reform Act, which prohibits public officials from using public resources to influence campaigns.

"The county can't use our tax dollars to take sides in this fight," said proponent Mark Thurmond in a press release. "They have to be thorough, accurate, and fair — and that's why the board needs to retract its analysis of our initiative. The 7,000 people who signed our petition deserve to be represented too."



If passed when it comes before voters in March of 2024, the Cannabis Reform Initiative would reshape cultivation guidelines in the county, capping the number of farms and their size, among other things. *File*

The letter from lawyers representing the proponents to the county takes aim at much of the staff analysis, from its "style and tenor," which the letter dubs "primarily argumentative," to its conclusions.

For example, the letter states there is no ambiguity as to whether the initiative, if passed, would allow existing non-conforming farms to make environmental upgrades to their operations, pointing out that the initiative itself states it "shall be broadly construed to achieve its purpose," which is to "promote environmentally responsible cultivation practices and support watershed health." As such, the letter posits, of course farms would be allowed to add to their solar arrays and water storage capacity without running afoul.

As to the multiple permits provision, the letter states that the initiative language makes clear that is only in relation to cultivation permits, and the limit would not apply to ancillary permits to allow for tourism or sales. While the initiative would amend the county's General Plan, the letter notes it also contains language authorizing the county to adopt implementation regulations as long as they are in line with the initiative's objectives.

The initiative's proponents are demanding the county either retract staff's analysis or "promptly correct the errors therein." Where things go from here remains to be seen.

— *Thadeus Greenson*
POSTED 04.25.23

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Eureka Death Investigation: The Eureka Police Department and the Humboldt County Coroner's Office are investigating the deaths of two people found in a residence on the 2700 block of Fairfield Street on April 21 during a welfare check requested after someone was unable contact them for several weeks. There are no signs of "suspicious activity or foul play," according to EPD. *POSTED 04.25.23*

Garberville Woman Found Dead: The Humboldt County Sheriff's Office recovered the body of a woman from the South Fork Eel River north of Garberville on the evening of April 18. The deceased was identified as Sarai Anne Combs, 37, of Garberville, though the circumstances of her death remain unknown, with an autopsy scheduled to determine Combs' cause of death. *POSTED 04.20.23*

Digitally Speaking

4 The number of people killed in three separate motor vehicle accidents this week, including single-car crash in Eureka and Fortuna, and a three-car collision on State Route 299. *POSTED 04.24.23*

They Said It

"The Humboldt County Sheriff's Office will not tolerate criminal behavior in its ranks and will hold employees accountable for their actions."

— *Sheriff William Honsal announcing the arrest of Lt. Samuel David Williams on suspicion of brandishing a firearm and making criminal threats during a domestic disturbance in McKinleyville.* *POSTED 04.20.23*

Comment of the Week

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A bachelor's degree program at Cal Poly Humboldt in applied fire management slated to begin in the fall is at the center of a conflict between the state university and community college systems. *Photo courtesy of Cal Poly Humboldt*

Where There's Smoke

Cal Poly Humboldt at center of feud between CSU, community college systems over fire management degree

By Adam Echelman/CalMatters

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As two California higher education systems continue to feud, lawmakers have entered the equation using a route usually reserved for irate retirees: a strongly worded letter.

The matter at hand — the 1,300-student Feather River College in rural Plumas County offering a bachelor's degree in applied fire management — has become a lightning rod issue, sparking delays and anger on both sides.

"I was quite frankly shocked and disheartened," said California State University Interim Chancellor Jolene

Koester at a trustees' meeting, claiming the community college system had "acted unilaterally" and out of accordance with the law by approving the bachelor's degree program at Feather River.

At the same meeting, Koester stressed that each component of the state's higher education system — the 116 community colleges, 23 California State Universities campuses, and 10 University of California campuses — plays a distinct role.

Koester's objection stems from the Master Plan for Higher Education California adopted in 1960 and tweaked occasionally since. In that plan, the University

of California system has sole jurisdiction to award doctorate degrees; the UC and CSU systems should both award bachelor's degrees; and community colleges are supposed to function as vocational instruction, plus undergraduate education for students who then transfer to a UC or CSU.

The crux of the current kerfuffle is a law that went into effect last year that allows the Community College Chancellor's Office to establish as many as 30 new bachelor's degree programs every year at any one of its 116 colleges, with certain caveats. Most importantly, the bachelor's

degree program cannot be "duplicative" of "existing baccalaureate programs offered by state universities."

Cal State officials have argued the applied fire management program at Feather River duplicates a bachelor's program at Cal Poly Humboldt, though Humboldt's doesn't yet exist and is slated to start in the fall. The two colleges are roughly 270 miles apart, a five-and-a-half-hour drive. The Feather River program would theoretically enroll 20 to 25 students in its first year.

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A Cal Poly Humboldt forestry student's helmet sits at the site of a controlled burn near Honeydew last year. Photo courtesy of Cal Poly Humboldt

A ‘red herring’

To the CSU Academic Senate, the debate is also about enrollment and money. In a resolution last year, it called on the CSU system to study the financial impact of allowing community colleges to award bachelor's degrees, which they fear could lead to “reduced enrollment in CSU programs, a reduction in revenue from student fees and potentially a reduction in State support.”

Community college administrators see a different challenge. “A great example is nursing,” said then-Community College Chancellor Eloy Oakley at a July 2022 meeting. “It is clear that there is a need (for nursing degrees), that the CSU cannot fulfill that need, so why wouldn't we be able to fulfill that need?”

The pushback from CSU officials toward bachelor's degrees, Oakley said to his colleagues, is a “red herring”. In reality, he said, it is about “perceived competition for enrollments.”

Koester argues that the proposed fire degree at Feather River College is essentially the same as the one Cal Poly Humboldt plans to offer. Moving forward with the program would jeopardize the “trust” between the two higher education systems, Koester wrote to the Community College Chancellor's office on Jan. 23.

Community college leaders decided to proceed anyway.

As new applications for bachelor's programs poured in this year, and the leaders from both systems refused to budge on a plan to resolve future disagreements, Senate Education Committee Chair Josh Newman, a Brea Democrat, and Assembly Higher Education Chair Mike Fong, a Monterey Park Democrat, issued a joint letter

April 18, asking the community college system to put the new applications to a “pause.”

Wildfire country

“I wasn't expecting (the legislators' letter),” said Lizette Navarette, interim chancellor of California Community College, in a recent interview with *CalMatters*. “Is this signaling towards legislation that they're going to run? Is this an indefinite ‘pause?’”

Although the letter comes from the Legislature, she said the language is “consistent with some of the other letters the CSU has sent.”

Nonetheless, she affirmed that her office would “of course want to work with the Legislature” on its requests.

Neither Newman nor Fong responded to questions from *CalMatters* regarding the letter. A CSU spokesperson said the Cal State system wouldn't speculate about what it would do if the community college system doesn't pause, per the legislators' request.

“We expect that the final approved bachelor's program will not duplicate a CSU or a UC regardless of location,” the legislators wrote, which runs counter to the interpretation that the community colleges have made.

The colleges see “relative geographic location” as one reason why a school may deserve to award a certain bachelor's degree.

Feather River College is a prime example. Nestled in the High Sierra two hours north of Lake Tahoe, Feather River is a small, rural school with the setting to prove it.

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"I can walk out on my campus and look at the hill across the valley and see a burnt hilltop," Kevin Trutna, president of the college, told *CalMatters*. "Plumas National Forest, Lassen National Forest, Lassen National Park. Three-fourths of our county is federal or state forest. You have a ready-made (wildfire) laboratory here that nobody is focusing on. This is our specialty."

Both the Camp and Dixie fires tore through the Feather River Valley in 2018 and 2021, respectively, leaving nearby towns like Greenville in ashes.

"We cannot sit here and let Humboldt State (Cal Poly Humboldt) or Cal Poly San Luis Obispo or Chico or anybody say, 'Hey, this is our business. We'll send you people out there,'" Trutna said. "We need to do something to be proactive to preserve the rest of our national forest."

When Feather River College submitted an application in January of 2022 to offer a bachelor's degree in "Ecosystem Restoration and Applied Fire Management," two professors from Cal Poly Humboldt, as well as professors from Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, Cal State Chico, UC Davis, and the nearby UC Cooperative Extension school, all submitted letters in support.

Four months later, then-Associate Vice Chancellor of the Cal State University system Alison Wrynn objected to the Feather River program, arguing that it duplicated Cal Poly Humboldt's soon-to-be fire management program.

Other California community colleges face scrutiny

While the Feather River program has become the most contentious, other community colleges faced similar push-back. Out of the nine colleges that were approved to offer bachelor's degrees under the new law, at least four faced objections from CSU campuses.

Cal State San Marcos, for example, said that San Diego City College's application to award bachelor's degrees in "Cyber Defense and Analysis" would be duplicative of a program that San Marcos intended to build.

The nearby CSU campuses later dropped their opposition to San Diego City College's program, but communication hiccups between the CSU and community college administrators led to additional delays to the program's approval, the *Voice of San Diego* reported.

If there's disagreement about whether a community college should proceed with a bachelor's degree program, the admin-

istrators at each higher education system must establish a "written agreement" that explains whether the objections have been resolved, according to the 2021 law.

The new law stipulates that the entire approval process, including any conflict resolution, should take no more than five months. It ultimately took more than a year for the community college and California State University officials to reach agreements regarding eight of the nine proposed bachelor's degree programs.

The agreement that wasn't agreed to

The Feather River dispute was never resolved.

"A written agreement was shared with the CSU and we didn't really get a response back," said Navarette.

That's because the CSU system didn't agree to it, said Nathan Evans, a CSU associate vice chancellor.

In the legislators' letter, they take aim at the community colleges' actions, writing that "written agreements" need to be signed by the "impacted parties."

Instead of moving forward with the fire management program, Evans wants to see Feather River College and Cal Poly Humboldt collaborate on a joint degree. He pointed to programs across the state that help students work toward a certain major through two years of school at community college and two years at a four-year university. In another scenario, he referenced how professors from Cal State Fullerton and San Bernadino travel to Riverside City College or teach remotely so that community college students can get a bachelor's in nursing in less than three years.

But Trutna doesn't see those options as realistic. "Our students just can't move over there for two years," he said, adding, "This is a hands-on vocational degree, not something you can do remotely."

And so, in March, the community college board of governors approved Feather River's program. The law grants the community college board the ultimate decision-making authority, leaving CSU leaders to search for a different recourse.

Meanwhile, the 14 colleges that just applied to launch their own bachelor's degree programs will go on hold as they wait and see what agreements, if any, the two higher education systems can reach. ●

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Oyster Fest's Beer Choice is Shuck It

By Jennifer Fumiko Cahill

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After virtual Oyster Fests with online entertainment and curbside pickup of oysters and beer, and an in-person tangle of food and drink lines by the Creamery District, the June return to the Arcata Plaza feels nostalgic. No entry fees, no fences. Just the old ouroboros of people circling the lawn and the bands and lining up for food and beer.

In previous plaza celebrations, what's on tap at the Arcata Bay Oyster Festival and how much Arcata Main Street would pay for it has caused some frosty feelings. Local producers balked when the organization requested beer donations in 2018, and brewers and attendees alike took issue when AMS granted Crescent City's Sea-Quake Brewery exclusive sales instead of local brewers in 2019 ("Pour One Out," April 25, 2019). That kerfuffle spawned a rival Shuck Yeah event held the same day. And last year's in-person event left the crowd thirsty with long lines and tapped-out kegs ("Oyster Fest's Rocky Return," June 30, 2022). This year, AMS, for whom the festival is the main fundraiser, is again going with a single brewery but a local one. Mad River Brewing Co. will have four beers on the plaza, including a new Indigenous-sourced brew labeled Shuck It, for the festival.

Gil Miracle, event coordinator of Arcata Main Street, who is managing Oyster Fest for the first time, says, "We are digging our way out of the hole of the pandemic like everyone else." The organization, he says, sees partnering with one local brewery as

a streamlining and cost-saving measure "instead of negotiating seven different deals with every brewery." The press release sent out last week, he says, was meant to inform those other breweries at once, as well.

The single brand of beer, Miracle says, promises faster lines. He's hesitant to criticize the previous year's team but says the main complaint last year was the long wait for beer. The hope is that upping the number of stands from three to four and saving time by not having to switch out tap handles for different beers will shorten lines. And with 180 kegs, he says, those stands should be "fully stocked" and not leaving folks parched.

Jessica Carenco, marketing director for Mad River Brewing Co., says, "When Arcata Main Street reached out to us directly and kind of presented us with their needs, they were hoping to have a local brewery partner where they could offer something new" and still "work within their fiscal capacity." MRB was already developing a recipe brewers felt would work well with the festival, a "white label" beer that could be specially branded for a company or event, as well as sold under a different label later. "We did a tasting and kind of talked about some other recipes," she says, as well as some "gaps" in promotions and marketing where MRB could provide help and resources for the strapped and stretched AMS staff. "Post COVID, we wanted to see the event thrive."

Brewers Kevin Montgomery and Ross McCabe headed up a team to create the

beer MRB has labeled Indigenous-style ale, not only drawing on the company's Yurok tribal ownership but sourcing the native species of corn from the Ioway Tribe in Kansas and Nebraska. "It's a step in the process of getting to our goal of fully Indigenous farm-to-table beer," says Carenco, adding the partnership with the Ioway Tribe supports intertribal commerce, "restoring traditional trade routes ... tribes helping tribes."

Carenco has yet to try the final product but found one of the most recent versions as "surprisingly crisp and light, very session-able, a little sweet from that corn." The team feels it's a match for oysters, too. "We're looking at it as the beer of the festival," she says. Shuck It will also be soft launched at a few local taps before and during the week of Oyster Fest, and it will sell under a yet-to-be-announced label later.

Miracle, who has tasted Shuck It in its final form, says, "I'm not even a beer drinker and I was blown away." He says the slightly lower alcohol content is a plus, "so you'll be able to drink it out in the sun all day." He laughs, adding, "Get a bunch of IPAs in there and everyone's falling out by noon."

Miracle acknowledges "getting heat" for not featuring local beer at previous Oyster Fests but doesn't expect the same blowback despite going with only one brewery. "It's a tribal-owned, woman-run, community-oriented brewery. You'd have to try really hard to come up with a complaint



Mad River brewer Ross McCabe adds dry hops to a batch of Steelhead IPA. Photo by Zach Lathouris, courtesy of Arcata Main Street

about this one." The publicity campaign in conjunction with MRB was meant to get the word out all at once, he says. "This year, we wanted to communicate with the community effectively and have no surprises."

But after years of working with AMS to slake the thirst of the festival crowds — rocky as it's been at times — finding out MRB would be the only beer on the plaza via the press release was a surprise for some. "Speaking for the Humboldt Brewing Co.," says owner Andy Ardell in an email to the *Journal*, "I would prefer a variety of breweries to represent an event like this, especially with so many people from outside the county attending." It's exposure some local breweries count on to market their beer to new customers.

"We want these people to enjoy something from all of the breweries and styles of beer," Ardell says. "They might not have a chance to get to the other breweries throughout the weekend." ●

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Pacific Halibut Season Kicks Off Monday

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May 1 marks day one of our abbreviated ocean sport fishing season on the North Coast as Pacific halibut will open Monday. Our rockfish season will follow, opening on May 15, but will also be shorter than previous years. Without an ocean salmon season this year, these two fisheries will be more popular and will see more pressure than ever.

The Pacific halibut season will be open until Nov. 15 or until the quota is reached, whichever is earlier. The 2023 Pacific halibut quota for the California subarea is 39,540 pounds — approximately the same as the 2022 quota. The California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) will monitor catches of Pacific halibut during the season and provide catch projection updates on its Pacific halibut webpage, wildlife.ca.gov/conservation/marine/pacific-halibut#31670772-in-season-tracking.

The fishery will be open seven days a week, and the limit remains at one with no size restrictions. When angling, no more than one line with two hooks attached may be used. A harpoon, gaff or net may be used to assist in taking a Pacific halibut that has been legally caught by angling. For Pacific halibut regulations, visit wildlife.ca.gov/conservation/marine/pacific-halibut#31670771-pacific-halibut-regulations.

Recreational razor clam fishery closes in Humboldt County

Determining that consumption of razor clams in the area poses a significant threat for domoic acid exposure, CDFW has closed the razor clam fishery in Humboldt County as of April 21. A sampling of razor clams from Clam Beach in Humboldt County in early April found clams exceeding the current federal action level for



The Pacific halibut season opens May 1 on the North Coast. The season will run through Nov. 15 or until the quota is met. Pictured is a group of anglers who caught their limit of halibut while fishing out of Eureka last season.

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domoic acid of greater than or equal to 20 parts per million.

The recreational clam fishery in Del Norte County is also closed at this time. CDFW will continue to work with the California Department of Public Health and Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment to collect, monitor and analyze razor clams to determine when the recreational razor clam fishery can be reopened safely in these areas.

For more information on any fishery closure or health advisories, visit wildlife.ca.gov/Fishing/Ocean/Health-Advisories.

To get the latest information on current fishing season closures related to domoic acid, call CDFW's Domoic Acid Fishery Closure Information Line at (831) 649-2883.

Brookings ocean update

"Lingcod and rockfish action is good out of Brookings on calm weather days," said Andy Martin of Brookings Fishing Charters. "Good weather returns on Friday. Halibut season opens May 1. Some halibut have already been released. Deeper water fishes best early in the season, with fish in 220 to 300 feet of water. Fishing for hatchery coho opens June 17 out of Brookings."

The Rivers

Reminder: The South Fork Eel, Van Duzen, Mattole, Mad, Redwood Creek and Chetco rivers all closed to fishing March 31.

Main Stem Eel

The main stem Eel remains high and

off color. As of Tuesday, flows were right around 10,000 cubic feet per second on the Scotia gauge. Warm weather the past few days has started the snowmelt, raising flows nearly 4,000 cfs since Saturday. With plenty of snow in the hills, it doesn't look like it will drop to a fishable color or level anytime soon. The main stem Eel to the South Fork is open all year. Only artificial lures with barbless hooks may be used from Apr. 1 through Sept. 30.

Lower Rogue

The lower Rogue is producing its best spring salmon fishing in years, with high catch rates of hatchery fish, according to Martin. "Guides anchoring and running anchovies and spinner blades, and shore anglers plunking Spin-N-Glos or 4.0 MagLips are getting into good numbers of fish, and many are getting limits. The peak of the season is here, but decent fishing will likely continue into June with high flows this spring. Wild springers must be released through May. The Umpqua also is having a strong springer run."

Read the complete fishing report at northcoastjournal.com. ●

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A Walk Among the Spotted Owls

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After four decades of hiking in Humboldt County forests, I'd never spotted a wild northern spotted owl (*Strix occidentalis*) until Saturday during a Godwit Days tour, thanks to help from a tour guide and an assist from a white mouse. My wife and I did see a barred owl (*Strix varia*) a couple years ago on the Ossagon Trail in Redwood National Park (more on the "invasive" barred owls later).

To fill in this gap in my birding life list, I had signed up for a recent guided Godwit Days outing to a forest owned by the local Green Diamond logging company. It seems I was not the only Godwit Days attendee looking to see a wild spotted owl in Humboldt as I got the last open spot in one of the two weekend owl-watching tours.

Saturday proved to be a lovely day and I joined a diverse group of 20 birdwatchers of all ages and our tour guide at the Arcata Community Center. While waiting, we looked over the spotted owl painting hanging on the nearby wall by third grader Margo Nims, of Garfield Elementary, who won the "Best Bird in Habitat" award in the annual Godwit Days painting contest.

Our tour guide and Green Diamond employee James Lucchesi offered directions for carpooling to our meet-up place in Korbel across the road from North Fork Lumber Co. After gathering in a circle, Lucchesi held an informative talk and lively Q&A session about the spotted owl's breeding habits (typically only one chick every year or two), its preferred habitat (old growth forests), food preferences (mostly wood rats), its endangered species status ("threatened") and why Green Diamond and other timber company employees like himself spend a lot of time seeking out spotted owls and their nesting locations.

The owl's endangered status and declining numbers, Lucchesi explained, are due to loss and degradation of its preferred habitat, old growth forests. In June of 1990, after years of negotiation and litigation between the government, environmentalists and the timber industry, the northern spotted owl was listed as threatened under the Endangered Species Act; since then, population numbers have continued to decline.

As a result, according to the National Park Service, northern spotted owls have been

called an "indicator" species because their presence in a forest is a gauge of the ecological health of the habitat. If you can find an area with a spotted owl, then the location is likely able to support a diversity of other plants and animals. Indicator species are often the first in their ecosystem to be affected by a particular environmental change, such as a warming climate, pollution, human development and other types of environmental degradation.

As a result of the owl's threatened status, Lucchesi's job is to search for spotted owls and their nesting sites on Green Diamond forestlands within its proposed timber-harvest plans. If owls are found, the company must come up with mitigation plans to protect the owl habitat and nest sites.

A tour member next asked Lucchesi about a relatively recent new threat to spotted owls: the increasing number of "invasive" barred owls moving into northern spotted owl territories in the Pacific Northwest including Humboldt County forests. Barred owls are a native species to eastern North America and began expanding their range westward since the early 1900s.

According to U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services research, barred owls' rapid increase in numbers (they produce more chicks per year than spotted owls) is the primary factor "negatively affecting apparent survival, recruitment and ultimately, rates of population change of spotted owls. Without removal or reduction of barred owl populations, it's likely northern spotted owls will become locally extinct from portions of their range."

Somewhat reluctantly, Lucchesi said "reduction" of barred owl populations using a 12-gauge shotgun is now one of his latest job assignments as part of research experiments in local forests where spotted owls live. He described ethical and other challenges he faces with this task and said the research conclusions about the utility of the killing experiments are still pending. He said while it's still early, it appears nesting success has increased for spotted owls in some experimental locations where barred owl numbers have been reduced.

I asked Lucchesi if he'd observed any evidence of cross breeding between barred owls and spotted owls. He confirmed a few sightings and said it appears mostly to have



The spotted owl perched and waiting for its meal. Photo by Mark Larson

occurred between a male spotted owl and a female barred owl, and he had a funny explanation as to why. Barred owls are omnivores, unlike the spotted owls, and a male barred owl would likely get swiftly rejected by a female spotted owl if it offered her a food offering other than a wood rat. But male spotted owls bringing wood rats to female barred owls would likely be welcomed.

It was soon time to don our hard hats and drive up to where a spotted owl and a box of white mice were waiting. Lucchesi had sent a colleague up earlier to scout a location where they had seen a spotted owl many times before — and we soon learned this spotted owl was quite familiar with seeing humans in hard hats carrying small boxes containing white mice.

Early on, researchers looking for spotted owls trapped wild mice and used them to lure the owls. That took a lot of time and effort, so readily available white mice soon became the "bait," as they're cheap and easy to breed and raise.

And then I saw my first spotted owl. Lucchesi pointed out to us where the spotted owl was perched in a tree 50 feet away, well hidden in the shade, with the pattern of its plumage providing excellent camouflage. We barely had time to get the lens caps off our camera lenses before the owl silently swooped in over our heads and returned to its perch — even before a white mouse was taken out of the box.

As we readied our cameras, volunteers were asked to help hold up a branch as Lucchesi placed a lively white mouse on it. The owl quickly flew directly toward the mouse, grabbed it with its talons and flew back to its perch in a tree to eat it. The owl didn't seem concerned about whether the white mouse was free-range and organic.

After yet another mouse on a branch lured the owl in for another close look, it flew away into the woods. Lucchesi and his colleague

then played sound recordings of spotted owl vocalizations to try to lure it back, but without success. Then it was time for us to head back home and to the Godwit Days banquet, excited to add the owl to our life list. ●

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The Timing's the Thing

The Book of Will at Redwood Curtain

By Tiggerbouncer Custodio

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Timing and rhythm can turn a 90-minute masterpiece into a 120-minute dental experience. They make comedy gut-busting or obligatorily chuckling. They set up style, and era, and can even relate to culture. The context of what an audience experiences in a given day — the death of a political figure, the birthday of rock star, the anniversary of a tragedy — can affect the impact of pace and delivery. Exceptional companies work within these tricky nuances to deliver timeless performances. It's the magic of theatre. The company performing *The Book of Will* at Redwood Curtain Theatre is a triumph in timing and rhythm, and it produces many of these magical moments throughout the show. The cast creates a world I believe and love.

The simple plot: It's 1619, three years after the death of William Shakespeare. Henry Condell (Daniel Baer) and John Heminges (Todd Hoberecht) begin the painstaking process of making a complete anthology of the Bard's work amid plagiarism, knockoffs and loss. The rapid pace of the opening act amplifies the energy to illustrate jovial and deep relationships. While actors wittily say their lines, there are side eyes, secret winks, obvious opinions and an abundance of textured everyday life that makes it fun. It feels genuine without distracting from the progression of the story. As Alice Heminges, Molly Severdia is a natural at this and delights audiences when they catch her reactions. The pace also allows for the

beauty of Shakespeare's featured lines to take the stage when the cast slows, focuses and grants the words breath and time. When both those reactions and the source text are juxtaposed, the impact is stunning and centers the Bard's poetry. It's an effective technique orchestrated by Director Ruthi Engelke. Particularly good at this is Brad Harrington as Richard Burbage, who nimbly goes from playwright Laura Gunderson's more contemporary text to reciting *Hamlet* and *Macbeth*.

Act II benefits from allowing time to explore some beautiful moments that wouldn't be as successful if the actors had chewed on their Act I lines. Though I may have preferred their breath getting caught more in their throats as opposed to holding or deep breaths, Hoberecht and Baer are stunning in the deeply tragic opener. Later, even when it is restricted by neck-straining-tennis-volley split scenes, some unnecessary choreography and a miming bit that seems out of place, we're already invested and comfortably along for the ride.

RCT has produced shows with some of the best acting I have seen in Humboldt and this production is no different. If you have yet to see Christina Jioras or Michael Murdoch, you are missing out and should immediately get a ticket to this show, as they are both exceptional. Coupled with Baer and Hoberecht, all the talents are on similar levels and elevate the acting of everyone around them. Keenan Hilton and Evan Needham are a pleasure to watch as their love of Shakespeare spills into their



Molly Severdia, Daniel Baer and Todd Hoberecht in *The Book of Will*.

Courtesy of Curtain Theatre

roles. Finn Ferguson and Monica Blacklock produce effective work, and, as Engelke expressed, rounding off the cast is the late Clint Rebik as the absent Shakespeare in this final production in the space he co-created.

Though lighting designer Mike Foster's ideas are beautiful, they were foiled by machinery on the night I attended. The positioning of the movers threw light around like a rock concert and blinked as they transitioned between colors. Laura Rhinehart's sets make incredible use of the limited space, though some cheaply made wine barrels don't quite fit in. However, looking at the beautiful costumes by Lori Knowles, some shoes don't quite fit in, so it could be argued that they are all in the same world. Lastly, the person responsible for the beautiful prop book needs a mention in the playbill. It's incredible.

Shakespeare's Complete Works is translated into more than 100 languages and has reached all around the world. As such, this play (especially the end) could be better told with at least one BIPOC in the cast (or crew). Such casting would also

align with RCT's renewed commitment to build inclusivity and diversity. Still, this is an excellent production and needs to be seen.

Redwood Curtain Theatre's The Book of Will runs through May 13 with 8 p.m. performances Fridays and Saturdays, and 2 p.m. matinees April 23 and April 30. Call (707) 440-9208 or visit redwoodcurtain.com. ●

Tiggerbouncer Custodio (he/she/they) is an empowered queer Indigenous Filipino artist whose works have been seen on Humboldt stages and elsewhere.

NOW PLAYING

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Trinidad Art Night

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SAUNDERS PLAZA EAST 355 Main St. Music by Band o’ Loko. Face painting by Jade Bamboo.

HEADIES PIZZA AND POUR 359 Main St. Ceran Walker, mixed media abstract.

TRINIDAD MUSEUM 400 Janis Court. “Trinidad or Bust: Vacationing in Trinidad 1914-1950,” in the Photography Room. “Looking to Tradition and to the Modern: Ceremonial Dresses & Adornment,” in the Native American Room.

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TRINIDAD ART CENTER 426 Trinity St. “Community Healing and Local Artisans,” exhibit. Music by Penny Gunn.

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Westhaven Center for the Arts; music by Howdy Emerson.

TRINIDAD EATERY 607 Parker Road. Crazy River Ranch & Cider Co. tasting under the blue tent at 5 p.m. Live art by ceramicist Nancy Pippen.

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Music by Willie Nightstar at Trinidad Town Hall. *Courtesy of the artist*





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God's Eyes

By Collin Yeo

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“Every love story is a ghost story” was a favorite quote of the late author David Foster Wallace, which he attributed to the later author Virginia Woolf. This wasn't the case, however, as the quote has been traced to the Australian author Christina Stead, who was referring to writing after the death of her husband. It's a haunting sentiment and, like the relationship between squares and rectangles, not a two-way affair: Not every ghost story is necessarily a love story.

Take the haunting of visionary English poet William Blake, whose one documented run-in with a ghost so terrified him that he was unable to process it for decades, finally working out, during a seance in 1819, the image of this vulgar and terrifying apparition, the alleged inspiration behind his iconic illustration “The Ghost of a Flea.” In Blake's mind, a flea is a criminal creature obsessed with violence to such a degree that it wants to feed on blood beyond death, a sort of proto-vampire. The flea in his piece is a massive and scaly brute, greedily lapping up its red meal with inhuman delight. It is insatiable and demanding. Blake so hated this brute that it took him years to realize its creation in his work. Go look it up and you will see what I am talking about.

An ascended, spiritual being like Blake desired liberation from such beasts and an end to the bitter violence of fallen human civilization. He pursued this end with his art, as we all do (we sensible and caring critters that is), with our own methods. Our ancestors across many cultures used to create homespun God's eyes to ward off the evil ones, as our contemporaries make art and music. We do so for the protection of ourselves, as well as those who will come after us, against the curses of those who came before. “Our revenge will be the laughter of our children,” proclaimed Irish Republican martyr Bobby Sands. Jazz composer Charles Mingus wanted to “Let my children hear music,” as the title of his 1972 album proclaimed. We weave invocations to invite the righteous

pomp of our better nature. Keep that in mind as the sunshine increases and the songs of the world curl out of the voices of the new spring.

Thursday

It's Adult Skate Night at the Blue Lake Skate Rink tonight at 7 p.m. Here's the deal, you show up, toss down \$15, and roll around in circles with a bunch of other folks while **DJs Goldylocks** and **East One** spin some hot jams. Seems pretty slick to me, but I am a child of the '80s who spent his first years within spitting distance of an ice rink in San Francisco in the days of early hip hop, metal and arcade games.

Friday

At the Miniplex tonight at 8 p.m., Black Humboldt presents Los Angeles spoken-word poet, rapper, music producer and activist **Chris Siders**, who will be performing a rap set alongside his opening act **ANTIMATR**, before continuing the show with some work from the rest of his oeuvre. This is a developing show with more performers to be announced (as of press time), so this might turn into quite the Friday Night event (\$5-\$15, sliding scale).

Saturday

Originally from Australia, **Nattali Rize** has made Jamaica her homebase for the better part of a decade, where she has developed her slinky, roots-folk reggae sound. She's bringing that sound to Humbrews tonight at 9 p.m., where she will be joined by like-minded Jamaican acts **Kumar** and **Minori** (\$25, \$20 advance).

If you're in the mood for something more cost-friendly and little noisier, the Shanty is hosting a free show a half hour earlier that is headlined by glam-folkster **Scott Yoder**. Also on board are the delightful **Clean Girl & the Dirty Dishes** as well as **Think Tank**.



DJ Goldylocks spins at the Blue Lake Skate Rink on Thursday, April 27 at 7 p.m.

Photo by Chris Tuite, courtesy of the artist

Sunday

With the Iris Dement show at the Old Steeple looking very sold out, I am going to suggest a more homegrown but no less charming raconteur-ish gig today. Local musician and storyteller **Jeff DeMark** is presenting his final 3 p.m. matinee performance at the EXIT Theatre of his one-man show *Writing My Way Out of Adolescence*. Tickets are available for \$15 at the door but no one will be turned away because of a dearth of moolah.

Monday

It has become something of an emerging Setlist tradition to hand Monday's event over to the good folks at the Savage Henry Comedy Club, where they have kept the faith for the county's metal fans by throwing steady shows on this off-night. I'm told by more than a few friends in the service industry that the 7 p.m. shows are a blessing for those whose work schedule is dominated by early mornings on the weekends. Tonight's offering includes Portland grind band **Father's Milk**, local punk act **Killing February** and likely a few more TBAs to pad out the menu. \$10 gets you in the door for this all-ages event.

Tuesday

Well, it's rather quiet today, but with Cinco de Mayo just around the corner, you could do a lot worse celebrating the Mexican Army's unlikely defeat of the invading French at the Battle of Puebla than by going to the Miniplex, where **DJ Pachangu-**

ero is holding his regular Latin Music night at 9 p.m. Admission is, I believe, free, and there's a pretty nice and inexpensive Taco Tuesday beforehand.

Wednesday

If you are in the mood to see a big screen presentation of John Carpenter's classic Reagan-Era dystopian (I'm being redundant, I know) sci-fi masterpiece **They Live**, then head over to the Arcata Theatre Lounge at 6 p.m., where \$5 will get you inside and \$9 will let you leave with a poster. I can almost remember a time when the idea of invading alien overlords and their human collaborators forcing mindless consumption on the public, while killing the poor and dissenters alike, seemed far-fetched. Now all I can say is that I don't really believe that the world is run by effete, perverted, inhuman monsters, because if you look around, they clearly aren't really running anything with much success.

Anyway, if you'd rather vent your spleen with some loud music, head over to Siren's Song Tavern at 7 p.m., where \$10 will get you a metal show featuring Arizona's **Saintbreaker**, along with locals **Imperial Destructo** and **Gooseneck**. ●

Collin Yeo (he/him) would like to wish Kim Gordon of Sonic Youth a very happy 70th birthday on the 28th. Her musical brilliance has been a central part of his life since he was a kid. Rock on, sister. He lives in Arcata.

Calendar

April 27 – May 4, 2023



Bea and the Snake. Submitted



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The 17th annual Family Fun Series at the **Arcata Playhouse** continues this **Saturday, April 29** with **Stories from Home**, an all-original musical production by the performing Playhouse Arts ensemble. Jackie Dandeneau directs, James Hildebrandt custom made the puppets, and performers include Laura Muñoz, Tamekia Jackson and Melanie Schauwecker. Joining them is local storyteller Ernie Albers, who will share Yurok stories, and Tim Randles on musical accompaniment. Catch performances at **2 p.m.** and again at **7 p.m.** (\$15 general, \$10 youth, \$40 families). Get tickets at playhousearts.org/events/family-fun-series-stories-from-home.

More fun is on tap for this weekend. It's the **Karuna Matata - Hooves of Hope Fundraiser**, happening **Sunday, April 30**, from **1 to 5 p.m.** at **Almquist Lumber Company** (\$35). This family-friendly event has something for everyone with mobile ax-throwing, lawn games, live music by George Ruth, face painting, balloon sculptures, local wine, cider and beer, a miniature mule kissing booth (where's my Binaca?) and Lost Coast Brewery's root beer. There will be raffle tickets, local art and vegan food available for purchase. And the best part about all this fun? It benefits the local animal rescue and sanctuary. Pony up and get your tickets online at karunahumboldt.com/events.

And now for this week's event with the best name: Nation's Finest presents **Game of Throws - Veterans Benefit Cornhole Tournament** happening **Saturday, April 29** from **11 a.m. to 5 p.m.** at the **Fortuna Veterans Hall/Memorial Building** (\$50/team, free for observers). With more than 25 teams competing, the throw down is real. The tourney is family friendly, all ages and all skill levels. The event, benefitting local veterans in need, will have a live DJ, canteen open for drinks, a beer station, Manzanilla Kitchen food truck, auction items and raffles throughout the day.

27 Thursday

ART

Eureka Photoshop Users Group Photography Show. Hagopian Art Gallery, Humboldt County Library (upstairs), 1313 Third St., Eureka. Award-winning members present traditional photography, abstracts, digital art, collages and more through April 28.

Figure Drawing at Synopsis. 7-9 p.m. Synopsis Collective, 1675 Union St., Eureka. With a live model. Bring your own art supplies. Call to contact Clint. \$5. synopsisperformance.com. (707) 362-9392.

Meet the Local Maker: Llywinda Treasures. 5-8 p.m. Scotia Lodge, 100 Main St. Meet local jewelry maker Winifred Creamer with Llywinda Treasures. Free. thescotiainn.com. (707) 298-7139.

"Spiritual Detour -> This Way" Show. Brenda Tuxford Gallery, 422 First St., Eureka. Twenty-five artworks by 19 Humboldt artists celebrate serendipity and coincidence through April.

Thursday Night Art. 4-7 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301 J St., Arcata. Bring your own supplies or use what's around to collage, paint, draw, make an art book. Bring an instrument to jam in the Great Hall. Free, \$5-\$20 donation appreciated. sanctuaryarcata.org.

COMEDY

Drink & Draw. 6 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Self-guided art space and place hosted by Jessica Grant. Bring your own supplies or use ours. Snacks, drinks, friendly atmosphere. All ages w/caution for language. Ages 21 and up. Free. info@savagehenrycomedy.com. www.savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

MOVIES

Mateel Movie Nights. 5 & 7 p.m. Mateel Community Center, 59 Rusk Lane, Redway. Thursday double features. Join the Facebook group to see what's playing and bring a comfy chair, blanket or pillows. Fresh pizza, popcorn and

hot chocolate for sale. facebook.com/groups/mateelmovienightschedule.

MUSIC

"An Adventure Through Video Game Music". 8 p.m. Fulkerson Recital Hall, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Battles, music, giveaways. With pianist Ryan McGaughy. \$15, \$5 children, \$5 Cal Poly Humboldt students w/ID.

Buddy Reed and His Fabulous Rip it Ups. Midnight. Cher-Ae Heights Casino, 27 Scenic Drive, Trinidad. Blues and roots rock. lostmindranch@gmail.com. buddyreedblues.com.

Hip Hop Thursdays. 9 p.m.-2 a.m. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. Chuck Angeles, Starcata and Pressure. Free. thejamarcata.com. (707) 822-5266.

McKinleyville Community Choir Rehearsal. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Arcata Presbyterian Church, 670 11th St. Join if you like to sing or play an instrument. Reading music or prior experience not necessary. Rehearsals are every Thursday evening. ccgreene46@gmail.com. (831) 419-3247.

Reggae Last Thursdays w/Sarge One Wise. Last Thursday of every month, 9 p.m.-2 a.m. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. Sarge One Wise, Steve Culture and The Wisdem Band, and Woven Roots. \$5, free for students. thejamarcata.com. (707) 822-5266.

SPOKEN WORD

Black Joy - Redwood Poetry Festival. 6-9 p.m. Eureka Books, 426 Second St. A showcase of poets of the African Diaspora, celebrating Black joy. Hosted by local poets Rachel Noel, Ra and Bamidele. Part of the Redwood Poetry Festival and organized by Word Humboldt. eurekabookshop.com.

Nalo Hopkinson. 4-5:30 p.m. Library Fishbowl, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Reading, talk, book signing and meet and greet with the award-winning Sci-Fi/fantasy/speculative fiction writer. english@humboldt.edu. humboldt.edu/events. (707) 826-3758.

EVENTS

Lumberjack Days. Gutsurrak Student Activities Center

at Cal Poly Humboldt, 1 Harpst St., Arcata. Celebrate the return of Lumberjack Days with six afternoons of live music including The Original Wailers, hip-hop star Quaoada 400, garage rockers L.A. Witch, the reggaetón of La Doña, the Americana of Gabe Lee and the blues of GA-20.

Lumberjack Days Week 2. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Gutsurrak Student Activities Center at Cal Poly Humboldt, 1 Harpst St., Arcata. The Gutsurrak Student Activities Center presents performances and activities the final week of April. Music at noon on the SAC Quad. sles.humboldt.edu/sac.

FOOD

Volunteer Orientation Food for People. 3-4 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Help fight hunger and improve nutrition in the community. Visit the website to be invited to a Zoom orientation. Free. volunteer@foodforpeople.org. foodforpeople.org/volunteering. (707) 445-3166, ext. 310.

MEETINGS

350 Humboldt. Fourth Thursday of every month, 6 p.m. Virtual World, Online. The local grassroots climate action group holds its general meetings on the fourth Thursday of every month on Zoom. Link online. actionnetwork.org/events/350-humboldt-general-meeting.

OUTDOORS

Mid-Week "Bird-Sit". 6-7:30 p.m. Mad River Beach, Mad River County Road, Arcata. At the Vista Point overlooking the river mouth. Highly accessible to folks with limited mobility. View ravens, bald eagles, shorebirds, grebes, herons, waterbirds and harbor seals. Free. rras.org.

ETC

Restorative Movement. 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents classes focused on strength and mobility (Tuesday), and on relaxation and breath work (Thursday). Contact instructor Ann Constantino for online orientation. \$3-\$5 donation per class, no one is turned away for lack of funds. annconstantino@gmail.com. sohumhealth.org. (707) 923-3921.

DJS

DJ Statik and Friends. 9 p.m. Thirsty Bear Lounge, Bear River Casino Resort, 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta. Your favorite hits. Free. bearrivercasino.com.

Reggae Last Thursdays. Last Thursday of every month, 9 p.m. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. With Sarge OneWise. \$5. thejamarcata.com.

Throwback Thursday. 9 p.m. Thirsty Bear Lounge, Bear River Casino Resort, 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta. April 20: 2000s night. April 27: 2010s night. Free. bearrivercasino.com.

OPEN MIC

Blondies Open Mic. 6 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. Share your gifts. Free. blondies-foodanddrink.com.

Siren's Song Open Mic. 7 p.m. The Siren's Song Tavern, 325 Second St., Eureka. Step up to the mic. Free. sirens-songtavern.com.

KARAOKE

G.O.A.T. Karaoke at the Goat. 8:30 p.m. Richards' Goat Tavern & Tea Room Miniplex, 401 I St., Arcata. Supportive atmosphere, more than 45,000 songs to choose from, all skill levels welcome. Two-drink minimum purchase at the bar. Ages 21 and up. info@miniplexevents.com. [instagram.com/richardsgoat/](https://www.instagram.com/richardsgoat/). (707) 630-5000.

28 Friday

COMEDY

Home Improv-ment. 7 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Hosted by Stephanie Knowles with no pressure, just fun and a chance to try something out of your comfort zone. Free, donations accepted. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

Please Don't Leave. 11 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Scott Hoyle runs this improv-based comedy show with a rotating panel of the best local comedians and touring comics. \$5. info@savagehenrycomedy.com. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

MOVIES

Media Makers' Night. 5:30-7:30 p.m. Access Humboldt - College of the Redwoods Campus - Building 10, 7351 Tompkins Hill Road, Eureka. Networking rooms for radio personalities, producers, videographers, streamers and all levels of media production. Event includes a screening of *Autumn Run* by local film maker Carol Lang. Free. info@accesshumboldt.net. accesshumboldt.net/about/events. (707) 443-9352.

MUSIC

Friday Night Jazz. 7-10 p.m. The SpeakEasy, 411 Opera Alley, Eureka. Live local jazz with the Opera Alley Cats. Free. elvisatemydonuts@hotmail.com. (707) 444-2244.

Live Music. 6-8:30 p.m. Fieldbrook Market & Eatery, 4636 Fieldbrook Road. Every Friday, local bands play folk, bluegrass, Americana. Always family friendly. Check Facebook or Instagram for the lineup. Free. fieldbrookmarket@gmail.com. (707) 633-6097.

Opera Alley Cats. 7-10 p.m. The SpeakEasy, 411 Opera Alley, Eureka. Professional-level jazz twice a week with cool vibes and great people. Free. thespeakeasybar@yahoo.com. facebook.com/speakeasyeureka. (707) 444-2244.

SPOKEN WORD

A Tribe Called Queer - Redwood Poetry Festival. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Synopsis Collective, 1675 Union St., Eureka. A showcase and celebration of queer-identifying poets,

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hosted by local poet Moth. Part of the Redwood Poetry Festival. synapsisperformance.com.

THEATER

The MetroManiacs. 8 p.m. North Coast Repertory Theatre, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. French farce at full force. May 14 is a masked matinee (masks required) for immunocompromised individuals. \$20, \$18 students and seniors. ncrt.net.

EVENTS

Farewell to Jay Willard Gymnasium. Eureka High School, 1915 J St. A three-day goodbye to the historic building being torn down in June. Basketball shootout contest, dinner with hall of famers, coaches and Jay Willard's family, silent auction, tour and one last look. Tickets online. facebook.com/EHSBoosters.

Food for Medicine Benefit. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Mateel Community Center, 59 Rusk Lane, Redway. Keynote speakers are Lyla June, Desirae Harp and Brian Dykstra. Local foods, speakers, music, the Round Valley Feather Dancers and more. Donations welcome. mateel.org.

Lumberjack Days. Gutsurrak Student Activities Center at Cal Poly Humboldt, 1 Harpst St., Arcata. See April 27 listing.

Lumberjack Days Week 2. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Gutsurrak Student Activities Center at Cal Poly Humboldt, 1 Harpst St., Arcata. See April 27 listing.

Pints 4 Non Profits: Humboldt Hot Air. 5-8 p.m. Humboldt Bay Social Club, 900 New Navy Base Road, Samoa. One dollar from every draft beer benefits Humboldt Hot Air online community radio. Free. humboldt.baysocialclub.com. (707) 502-8544.

Spring Book Sale. 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Friends of the Redwood Libraries, 1313 Third St., Eureka. Friday's sale is members only (\$5 membership available at the door). Saturday is open to all. Cash only, small bills appreciated. Benefits the Humboldt County Library system. friends@eurekafrl.org. eurekafrl.org. (707) 269-1995.

FOR KIDS

Kid's Night at the Museum. 5:30-8 p.m. Redwood Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Drop off your 3.5-12 year old for interactive exhibits, science experiments, crafts and games, exploring the planetarium, playing in the water table or jumping into the soft blocks. \$17-\$20. info@discovery-museum.org. discovery-museum.org/classesprograms.html. (707) 443-9694.

Weekly Preschool Storytime. Eureka Library, 1313 Third St. Talk, sing, read, write and play together in the children's room. For children 2 to 6 years old with their caregivers and other family members. Free. manthony@co.humboldt.ca.us. humboldt.gov/Calendar.aspx?EID=8274. (707) 269-1910.

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Schilling Cider Tasting. 4-6 p.m. North Coast Co-op, Eureka, 25 Fourth St. Come tasting Schilling Cider at the Eureka Coop. Must be 21 and older to participate. kirstenlindquist@northcoast.coop. northcoastco-op.com. 7078225947.

GARDEN

Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Help with animal care, weeding, watering, planting and occasional harvest help on Saturday mornings. Volunteers get free produce. flowerstone333@gmail.com. (530) 205-5882.

SPORTS

Adult Skate Night. 6:30-9 p.m. Eureka Municipal Auditorium, 1120 F St. 18 and up. First-come, first-served. No pre-registration needed. Maximum of 75 skaters. \$6.

Stock Car Racing. Redwood Acres Raceway, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. Schedule and tickets online. racintheacres.com.

ETC

How to Do Business with the State of California. 3-5 p.m. The Pub at North Coast Brewing Co., 444 N Main St. Fort Bragg. In-person workshop for businesses new to state contracting or those who want a refresher. Free (registration required). info@norcalptac.org. norcalptac.org/event/in-person-how-to-do-business-with-the-state-of-california/. (707) 267-7561.

Tabata. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents online classes with short, high intensity cardio workouts. Contact instructor Stephanie Finch by email for a link to the class. Free. sfinch40@gmail.com. sohumhealth.com.

Will and Estate Planning Clinic for Tribal Members. 12:30-5 p.m. Hoopa Fire Department, CA-96. Hosted by the Hoopa Valley Tribe and California Indian Legal Services, topics include: the BIA probate process, wills, durable powers of attorney, advanced health care directives and more. Intake service provided. Register by phone or email. Free. eurekaicils@calindian.org. (707) 443-8397.

OTHER

Reel Genius Trivia Fourth Friday at Papa & Barkley. Fourth Friday of every month, 6-8 p.m. Papa & Barkley Social, 4325 Broadway, Eureka. General trivia. Ages 21 and up w/ID. Free to play. Win prizes. Max seven per team. Free. partners@reelgeniustrivia.com. (707) 601-1606.

KARAOKE

Pretty Kitty Karaoke. 9:30 p.m. Redwood Empire VFW Post 1872, 1018 H St., Eureka. Hosted by Jamie Kohl of Little Red fame. Cash only. Ages 21 and up. Veterans welcome.

Shuffleboard. PearceHansen999@outlook.com. facebook.com/profile.php?id=100082987501904. (206) 348-9335.

29 Saturday

ART

Trinidad Art Nights. Last Saturday of every month, 6-9 p.m. Trinidad, Downtown. Venues throughout town feature a variety of art and music; activities for children include arts and crafts, a skate park, games and face painting. Fire spinning July and Sept. TBA. Pop-up tastings at 5 p.m. trinidadarts.com. (707) 834-2479.

COMEDY

Farm to Table: Late Night Comedy. 11 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Baseball Robby curates this small batch artisanal stand-up comedy showcase. \$5. info@savagehenrycomedy.com. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

DANCE

May Day Block Party. 2-7 p.m. The Logger Bar, 510 Railroad Ave., Blue Lake. A day of live music, craft vendors, food vendors, a dog beer garden, face painting, mayday dances and more. Free. houndsofhumolodt@gmail.com. facebook.com/LoggerBar.

MOVIES

Midnight Movie: Taxi Driver (1976). 11 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show at 11 p.m., movie at 11:59 p.m. Rated R. All ages, parental guidance recommended for 16 and under. The seminal Martin Scorsese classic about the seedy underbelly of New York City. \$8, \$12 admission and poster. info@arcatatheatre.com. facebook.com/events/196057166501206. (707) 613-3030.

MUSIC

Arcane Artists. 9 p.m.-2 a.m. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. Arcane Artists presents Vagabond Dancers and DJs. \$15, VIP section available. thejamarcata.com. (707) 822-5266.

A Booty Shakin' Cinco De Mayo. 9:30 p.m.-1:45 a.m. Mazzotti's on the Plaza, 773 Eighth St., Arcata. Dance party with DJs Gabe Pressure and Zero Juan. Los Giles taco truck out front. \$10. bootyshakinmusicproductions@yahoo.com. facebook.com/bootyshakinmusicproductions. (707) 367-5949.

DJM, O.G. of Slightly Stoopid, Bump Foundation, Monica Star. 9:30 p.m.-1:45 a.m. Mazzotti's on the Plaza, 773 Eighth St., Arcata. Booty Shakin' dance party. Tickets at the door. Ages 21 and up. \$10. bootyshakinmusicproductions@yahoo.com. facebook.com/events/234573552442298. (707) 367-5949.

Gyppo's Five-Year Anniversary Party. 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Gyppo Ale Mill, 1661 Upper Pacific Drive, Shelter Cove. Celebrate with a day of music, food and beer. Music by the Funnicators, Blu Axis, Rock Stew and the Garbervillians. family@gyppo.com. gyppo.com/calendar-of-events. (707) 986-7700.

Humboldt Calypso Band and Steelpan Superstar Ray Holman. 8 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. The Department of Dance, Music, and Theatre at Cal Poly Humboldt presents an evening of Caribbean percussion featuring guest artist Ray Holman. \$10, \$5 student/children/seniors.

Jacki & The Jollies. 9-11 p.m. The Vista Del Mar, 91 Commercial St., Eureka. Rock 'n roll and disco. Free. jackiandthejollies@gmail.com. (707) 443-3770.

SPOKEN WORD

Redwood Rumble Poetry Slam - 2023 Redwood Poetry Festival. 8-10 p.m. The Thing, 833 H St., Arcata. A \$100 buy-in for poets to compete. Winner takes all. Other prizes available. Part of the 2023 Redwood Poetry Festival.

THEATER

Auditions for Spongebob the Musical with HLOC. 10 a.m.-noon. HLOC's Space, 92 Sunny Brae Center, Arcata. Humboldt Light Opera Co. invites performers 13 and up to audition. Sign up online and bring sheet music for the pianist. Seeking performers of all talent levels and those with tap/skateboarding/roller skating skills. Free. info@hloc.org. hloc.org. (707) 630-5013.

Entrées & Espionage Murder Mystery Dinner. 6-9 p.m. Arcata Veterans Hall, 1425 J St. At a retirement party gone awry, investigate who is killing the guests. Doors and social hour at 6 p.m., dinner and show at 7 p.m. Guests are encouraged to wear 007-themed attire. \$40. fb.me/e/gIUdo8H00.

Family Fun Series: Stories from Home. 2 & 7 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. A collection of tales from local storytellers and musicians using puppets and live music. \$15 general, \$10 youth, \$40 families. info@arcataplayhouse.org. playhousearts.org/events/family-fun-series-stories-from-home/. (707) 822-1575.

The MetroManiacs. 8 p.m. North Coast Repertory Theatre, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. See April 28 listing.

EVENTS

Humboldt Wine Festival. 3-6 p.m. Baywood Golf & Country Club, 3600 Buttermilk Lane, Arcata. Join the Rotary Club of Arcata Noon and Baywood Golf & Country Club for unlimited tastings, local gourmet treats, jazz by DogBone, wine-themed games and a Dutch raffle. \$60, \$50 advance. humboldtwinefest@gmail.com. humboldtwinefest.com/. (707) 840-4689.

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Dragging Through Time. College of the Redwoods, 7351 Tompkins Hill Road, Eureka. Family-friendly drag show and celebration. Pre-celebration with music, food and craft vendors, face painting and informational tabling. Proceeds from the show benefit Lost Coast Pride. Kintay-Johnson@redwoods.edu. (707) 476-4560.

Dreamquest Dinner and Concert. 5 p.m. Willow Creek VFW Hall, 20 Kimtu Road. Chicken and rib barbecue. Music by College of the Redwoods Jazz Orchestra. Free swing dance lessons from 5-6 p.m. Dinner from 5-7 p.m. Concert from 6-8 p.m. \$16, \$10 kids 10 and under.

Farewell to Jay Willard Gymnasium. Eureka High School, 1915 J St. See April 28 listing.

Fortify & Inspire: A Gala for Reproductive Freedom. 5-9 p.m. Sequoia Conference Center, 901 Myrtle Ave., Eureka. Enjoy food, drinks, good company, an engaging program and silent and live auctions. Proceeds support equitable, affordable and accessible sexual reproductive health care in Humboldt and Northern California. \$50-\$400. mformosa@ppnorcal.org. ppnorcal.ejoinme.org/MyEvents/FortifyInspireAGalaforReproductiveFreedom2023. (707) 502-3008.

Local Yarn Store Day. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Yarn, 2840 F St., Eureka. Celebrate a day of knitting, tea and treats, door prizes, a prize basket give away, special kits and yarn, a pop-up shop and more. info@yarn-fun.com. yarn-fun.com. (707) 443-9276.

Lumberjack Days Week 2. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Gutswurruk Student Activities Center at Cal Poly Humboldt, 1 Harpst St., Arcata. See April 27 listing.

Rhododendron Parade. 10 a.m. City of Eureka. Find a spot and watch classic cars, floats, horses, tractors, bands and more decorated with pink and red blooms. The parade begins at Seventh and E streets. The "Hometown Super Heroes" theme celebrates non-traditional heroes in the community. Free.

Spring Book Sale. 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Friends of the Redwood Libraries, 1313 Third St., Eureka. See April 28 listing.

World Healing with World Tai Chi and QiGong Day. 10 a.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Demonstrations of Yang style, Sun style, Tai Chi Made EZ and Swimming Dragon as people all over the world participate. No experience necessary. (707) 268-3936.

FOOD

Arcata Plaza Farmers Market. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Fresh produce, meat, fish, cheese, eggs, bread, flowers and more. Music and hot food vendors. No pets, but trained, ADA-certified, service animals are welcome. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoastgrowersassociation.org/arcatapla.html. (707) 441-9999.

Sea Goat Farmstand. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Fresh veggies grown on site, local eggs and sourdough bread. Work from local artists and artisans. flowerstone333@gmail.com. (530) 205-5882.

GARDEN

Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See April 28 listing.

Sequoia Park Ivy League - Volunteer Work Day. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Sequoia Park, 3414 W St., Eureka. Help remove invasive ivy from Sequoia Park. Live ukulele and guitar music cour-

tesy of Angels Creations Guitar School Eureka. facebook.com/events/590715239742190/590715243075523/. (707) 441-4080.

MEETINGS

Sistahood. 9:30-11 a.m. Virtual World, Online. For women teenagers and older on Zoom, to build healthy relationships and strengthen ties through validation and affirmation. Music from 9:30 a.m., open conversation from 9:45 a.m., meditation with the Sista Prayer Warriors from 10:45 a.m.

OUTDOORS

Ferns of the Dunes w/Carol Ralph. 10 a.m.-noon. Humboldt Bay NWR Lanphere Dunes Unit, 6800 Lanphere Road, Arcata. Join naturalist Carol Ralph for an easy 1/4-mile walk along the riparian edge of the dunes to see and discuss eight species of common ferns. Reserve your space by email or phone. Free. info@friendsofthedunes.org. fws.gov/refuge/humboldt_bay. (707) 444-1397.

FOAM Marsh Tour w/Jenny Hanson. 2 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Meet leader Jenny Hanson in the lobby of the Interpretive Center for a 90-minute, rain-or-shine walk focusing on marsh plants and/or ecology. Masks recommended inside. (707) 826-2359.

Guided Birding Tour w/Larry Karsteadt. 8:30-11 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Bring binoculars and meet trip leader Larry Karsteadt at the end of South I Street (Klopp Lake) for easy-to-walk trails and a diverse range of shorebirds, migratory songbirds, raptors and resident birds. Free. rras.org.

Spring Guided Walk at Founders Grove. 2-3 p.m. Humboldt Redwoods State Park, 17119 Avenue of Giants, Weott. Learn about the park's cultural and natural history while being in it. This walk is 0.6 miles long on a flat ADA trail. Meet at the Founders Grove picnic area/parking lot. Free. humboldtredwoods.org.

Spring Guided Walk at Gould Grove. 10:30-11:30 a.m. Humboldt Redwoods State Park Visitor's Center, 17119 Avenue of the Giants, Weott. Learn about the park's cultural and natural history while being in it. Walk is 0.6 miles on a flat ADA trail. Meet in front of the Humboldt Redwoods State Park Visitor Center. Free. humboldtredwoods.org.

Walk in the Park Fitness. 10-11 a.m. Sacco Amphitheater, 1101 Waterfront Drive, Eureka. Join Samantha from Eden Personal Fitness for a functional fitness walk down Waterfront Trail. All fitness levels welcome. Dress for the weather. Free. edenpersonalfitness@gmail.com. edenpersonalfitness.com. (707) 362-9004.

SPORTS

Game of Throws - Veterans Benefit Cornhole Tournament. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Fortuna Veterans Hall/Memorial Building, 1426 Main St. Benefiting local veterans in need. Prizes, auction items and raffles throughout the day. Live DJ, food truck, canteen open for drinks. Family friendly, all ages and skill levels. \$50 per team. mike@buffaloboard.com. facebook.com/events/s/game-of-throws-2023/176675065175913/. (707) 267-6738.

Stock Car Racing. Redwood Acres Raceway, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. See April 28 listing.

ETC

Adult Skate Night. Last Saturday of every month, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Skating Rink, Rohner Park. 18 and older only. IDs checked at door. Alcohol and drug-free event. \$5.50, includes skate rental.

OTHER

Thursday-Friday-Saturday Canteen. 3-9 p.m. Redwood Empire VFW Post 1872, 1018 H St., Eureka. See the newly

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30 Sunday

COMEDY

Stand-up Comedy Workshop. 7-8 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Led by local stand-up comic Jessica Grant. Bring a pen or pencil, and circle up to talk shop about jokes. Open to anyone interested in performing stand-up comedy. Drop-ins welcome. Free, donations accepted. JessicaGrantComedy@gmail.com. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

Sunday Open Mic. 9-11 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Sign-ups at 9 p.m., show at 9:30 p.m., local favorite features for the 10@10. Comics get five minutes. Zero hate speech tolerated. All-ages w/caution for language. Snacks, drinks. Free, donations accepted. info@savagehenrycomedy.com. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

DANCE

Renaissance Church. 12:30-1:30 p.m. Body High Pole Dance, 445 I St., Arcata. Zumba/Cardio. Full body workout and stretch utilizing dancehall, hip hop, ballroom and twerk choreography to Beyonce's *Renaissance* album. Easy to follow steps, all levels encouraged to join. \$5 suggested donation. Admin@MoHDCreates.com. mohd-creates.com/dance-fitness. (707) 633-3137.

MOVIES

Grown Up Movie Night. 6-8 p.m. Scotia Lodge, 100

Main St. Finish off the weekend with classics in the lounge. Food and drinks available at the lodge's Main & Mill restaurant. Movies are PG-PG-13 and titles are listed online. Free. scotia-lodge.com/hosted-events. (707) 298-7139.

Hook (1991). 5-8:30 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Rated PG. All ages. Fly away to Neverland. Pre-show at 5 p.m., themed cocktails, and retro-gaming station in the lobby. \$8, \$12 admission and poster. info@arcatatheatre.com. facebook.com/events/6760268397323691. (707) 613-3030.

MUSIC

Iris DeMent & Pieta Brown. 7:30 p.m. The Old Steeple, 246 Berding St., Ferndale. Folk, country, Americana. \$45.

Sunday Jazz Jams. 5:30-8:30 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. Every Sunday. Jazz players, all ages, all levels. Bring your ax and play some Real Book tunes. Everybody who wants to plays. Free. blondiesfoodanddrink@gmail.com. blondies-foodanddrink.com. (707) 822-3453.

SPOKEN WORD

"Poetry & Motion" - 2023 Redwood Poetry Festival. 1-7 p.m. Septentrio Tasting Room, 650 Sixth St., Arcata. Join Word Humboldt for the closing party of the Redwood Poetry Festival. Featuring music, poetry, dance and more.

THEATER

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Karuna Matata - Hooves of Hope Fundraiser. Almquist Lumber Company, 5301 Boyd Road, Arcata. A family-friendly event with local wine, cider and beer, mobile axe-throwing, lawn games, live music by George Ruth, face painting, balloon sculptures, a miniature mule kissing booth and Lost Coast Brewery's root beer. Raffle tickets, local art and vegan food available for purchase. Benefits the local animal rescue and sanctuary. \$35. misty@karunahumboldt.com. karunahumboldt.com/events. (707) 267-0820.

Lumberjack Days Week 2. 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Gutsurrak Student Activities Center at Cal Poly Humboldt, 1 Harpst St., Arcata. See April 27 listing.

FOR KIDS

Family Movie Day at HBSC. 2-4 p.m. Humboldt Bay Social Club, 900 New Navy Base Road, Samoa. Bring the family out and get cozy and enjoy favorites rated G-PG. Drinks and snacks available at the Lobby Bar. Movie titles are on listed online. Free. humboldtbaysocialclub.com/our-events. (707) 502-8544.

FOOD

Food Not Bombs. 4 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Free, hot food for everyone. Mostly vegan and organic and always delicious. Free.

OUTDOORS

Guided Birding Tour w/Ken Burton. 7:30-9 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Join Ken Burton for a short, early morning walk that will focus on the Allen Marsh and adjacent areas in search of spring

migrants and lingering waterfowl. Meet at the parking lot just north of the gate on South I St. Free. shriethree@gmail.com. rras.org. (707) 499-1146.

Hike for Mental Health. 1-2 p.m. McKay Community Forest, 3110 Harris St, Eureka. Exercise, get into nature and connect with others to boost your mood on a moderate, 1.7-mile hike. Sign up in-person or online. Rain or shine. \$12. brokenandstrongllc@gmail.com. brokenandstrong.org/participate. (707) 601-5026.

SPORTS

Sunday Springles Disc Golf League. 12-3:30 p.m. Beau Pre DiscGolfPark at the Beau Pre Golf Course, 1777 Norton Road, McKinleyville. Flex-start PDGA sanctioned disc golf league. Six-week series. Play in any or all of the weeks. All PDGA divisions available. Membership not required. Book a tee time with the Pro Shop. \$10 buy-in. beaupre-discgolf@gmail.com. instagram.com/beauprediscgolf/. (707) 839-2342.

KARAOKE

G.O.A.T. Karaoke at the Goat. 8:30 p.m. Richards' Goat Tavern & Tea Room Miniplex, 401 I St., Arcata. See April 27 listing.

Karaoke Sundays. 9 p.m. Bear River Casino Resort, 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta. Come sing your heart out in the Thirsty Bear Lounge every Sunday night. Ages 21 and up. Free. bearrivercasino.com/thirsty-bear-lounge/. (707) 733-9644.

1 Monday

FOOD

Miranda Farmers Market. 2-6 p.m. Miranda Market, 6685 Avenue of the Giants. Fresh fruits and vegetables, plant

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Volunteer Orientation Food for People. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See April 27 listing.

MEETINGS

Entrepreneur's Club of Arcata. First Monday of every month, 4-5 p.m. Northtown Coffee, 1603 G St., Arcata. Share your ideas. Learn business skills. Network. Open to all. Free. (925) 214-8099.

ETC

Homesharing Info Session. 9:30-10 a.m. and 1-1:30 p.m. This informational Zoom session will go over the steps and safeguards of Area 1 Agency on Aging's matching process and the different types of homeshare partnerships. Email for the link. Free. homeshare@alaa.org. alaa.org/homesharing. (707) 442-3763.

OLLI Brown Bag Presentation. 12-1:30 p.m. Presentations begin promptly at noon and last about an hour, with time for questions. All OLLI Brown Bag presentations are held on the Zoom platform. RSVPs are no longer required. Join a presentation at the link below. Free. olli@humboldt.edu. extended.humboldt.edu/olli/events/brown-bag-lunch-presentations. (707) 826-3731.

Tabata. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See April 28 listing.

MISC. NIGHTLIFE

Humboldt Bounsklee League. 6-8 p.m. Humboldt Brews, 856 10th St., Arcata. Weekly league nights. Purchase of any wood bounsklee from Humbrews or the website includes one-month family membership for future events. All ages.

Free. bounsklee@gmail.com. bounsklee.fun. (707) 601-9492.

Paranormal Open Mic Night. First Monday of every month. The Siren's Song Tavern, 325 Second St., Eureka. Peter Nelson hosts this podcast-style open mic where audience members share experiences with the unexplained and paranormal. sirensongbar@gmail.com. sirensongtavern.com. (707) 599-8986.

S.I.N. Day. noon-2 a.m. The Shanty, 213 Third St., Eureka. Service industry workers are appreciated with lunch with drink purchase while supplies last and drink deals. theshantysaloon@gmail.com. (707) 444-2053.

OTHER

Trivia Night. First Monday of every month, 6-9 p.m. Redwood Curtain Brewery & Tasting Room, 550 South G St., #4, Arcata. Test your knowledge while enjoying craft beer. The winning team wins a Redwood Curtain gift card. Free. redwoodcurtainbrewing.com. (707) 826-7222.

OPEN MIC

Clam Beach Open Mic. 8-midnight. Clam Beach Tavern, 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville. Every Monday night.

KARAOKE

Karaoke at the Jam. 9 p.m. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. Hosted by Dustin Thompkins. Free. thejamarcata.com.

Karaoke w/Dustin. 9 p.m.-1 a.m. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. Karaoke night. Free. thejamarcata.com. (707) 822-5266.

2 Tuesday

COMEDY

'No Strings Attached' Trivia. 6 p.m. Savage Henry

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DANCE

Baywater Blues Fusion Dance. 7-9:15 p.m. The Inn at 2nd & C, 139 Second St., Eureka. A half hour lesson followed by social dancing. \$5-15 sliding scale donation (no one turned away due to lack of funds). baywater-bluesfusion@gmail.com. www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100089815497848.

MOVIES

Grown Up Movie Night at HBSC. 6-8 p.m. Humboldt Bay Social Club, 900 New Navy Base Road, Samoa. Drinks and snacks available while you watch classics and get cozy in the Lobby Bar. Movie titles are listed online. Free. humboldtbaysocialclub.com/our-events. (707) 502-8544.

MUSIC

Opera Alley Cats. 7-10 p.m. The SpeakEasy, 411 Opera Alley, Eureka. See April 28 listing.

SPOKEN WORD

Word Humboldt Spoken Word Open Mic. 6-9 p.m. Northtown Coffee, 1603 G St., Arcata. Sign up list goes up at 6 p.m., and the open mic kicks off at 6:30 p.m. Two rounds of open mic poetry and a featured poet. Everyone is welcome, especially new performers. LGBTQ+ friendly. Free. instagram.com/wordhum.

FOR KIDS

Look Closer and Make Connections. First Tuesday of every month, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Natural History Museum of Cal Poly Humboldt, 1242 G St., Arcata. Explore new exhibits and activities, including marine science, a bear, discovery boxes, microscopes, puzzles, scavenger hunts and more. \$3. natmus@humboldt.edu. humboldt.edu/natmus. (707) 826-4480.

FOOD

Shelter Cove Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Mario's Marina Bar, 533 Machi Road, Shelter Cove. Fresh fruits and vegetables, meat, flowers and more. No pets are allowed, but trained, ADA certified, service animals are welcome. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. northcoast-growersassociation.org/sheltercove.html. (707) 441-9999.

MEETINGS

Humboldt Cribbage Club Tournament. 6:15-9 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Weekly six-game cribbage tournament for experienced players. Inexperienced players may watch, learn and play on the side. Moose dinner available at 5:30 p.m. \$3-\$8. 31for14@gmail.com. (707) 599-4605.

Monthly Meeting VFW Post 1872. First Tuesday of every month, 6-7 p.m. Redwood Empire VFW Post 1872, 1018 H St., Eureka. Calling all combat veterans and all veterans eligible for membership in Veterans of Foreign Wars to meet comrades and learn about events in the renovated Memorial Building. Free. PearceHansen999@outlook.com. (707) 443-5331.

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Restorative Movement. 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See April 27 listing.

DJS

Latin Dance Tuesdays w/DJ Pachanguero. 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Richards' Goat Tavern & Tea Room Miniplex, 401 I St., Arcata. Salsa, cumbia, tropical bass, pop and more. Tacos from 5 to 10 p.m. Ages 21 and up. Two-drink minimum purchase. info@miniplexevents.com. fb.me/e/2lgBtuaZc. (707) 630-5000.

KARAOKE

Karaoke. 8 p.m. Firewater Lounge, Cher-Ae Heights Casino, 27 Scenic Drive, Trinidad. Pick a song and sing.

3 Wednesday

ART

Art Club. First Wednesday of every month, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Redwood Retro, 211 G St., Eureka. Come for the conversation and bring your own project or get materials and instruction for an additional fee. Sign up and this month's project online. \$22. stainedghost.com.

Figure Drawing. 6-8:30 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. \$5. blondiesfoodanddrink.com.

BOOKS

On the Same Page Book Club. 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Online book club that meets on the first Wednesday of the month on Zoom. Sign up using the Google form at forms.gle/bAsjdQ7hKGqEgKj7.

COMEDY

Open Mikey. 9-11 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. The longest running comedy open-mic in the county. Sign up at 9 p.m. for a five-minute set. Show at 9:30 p.m. Snacks, drinks, zero hate speech tolerated. All-ages w/caution for language. Free, donations accepted. info@savagehenrycomedy.com. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

Washington Square Wednesdays. 6-9 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. Bring your own board and play chess. Snacks, drinks, friendly atmosphere for all-ages. ID to drink. Free, donations accepted. savagehenrycomedy.com. (707) 845-8864.

Wicked Wednesday Comedy. 8 p.m. The Siren's Song Tavern, 325 Second St., Eureka. Peter Nelson hosts a hilarious stand-up open mic with different comedians. Free. sirensongtavern.com.

MOVIES

Sci-Fi Night: They Live (1988). 6-9 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show at 6 p.m. Raffle at 7:20 p.m. Main feature at 7:25 p.m. All ages. Rowdy Roddy Piper plays a drifter who discovers a pair of sunglasses that reveal a shocking truth about the world around him. \$5, \$9 admission and poster. info@arcatatheatre.com. facebook.com/events/767414751421060/. (707) 613-3030.

FOR KIDS

Family Movie Night. 5-7 p.m. Scotia Lodge, 100 Main St. Bring the family and enjoy classics in the lounge area. Food and drinks available at Main & Mill. Movies are G-PG and the titles are listed online under events. Free. scotia-lodge.com/hosted-events. (707) 298-7139.

GARDEN

Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See April 28 listing.

ETC

Tabata. 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See April 28 listing.

DJS

Weds Night Ting. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. Reggae, dance-

hall, Afrobeats, basshall. Resident DJs Pressure and D'Vinity. Surprise guest DJs and bands. TBD. thejamarcata.com.

OTHER

Reel Genius Trivia Wednesdays. 6-8 p.m. The Madrone Taphouse, 421 Third St., Eureka. General trivia; fun for everyone. Free to play, win prizes. Max seven players per team. partners@reelgeniustrivia.com. fb.me/e/2ewBnU70H. (707) 601-1606.

Science on Tap. First Wednesday of every month, 6-7:30 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. Education can be fun! Come and drink some beer and hear a local professor blind you with science. Free. blondiesfoodanddrink.com.

4 Thursday

ART

Figure Drawing at Synapsis. 7-9 p.m. Synapsis Collective, 1675 Union St., Eureka. See April 27 listing.

Thursday Night Art. 4-7 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301 J St., Arcata. See April 27 listing.

COMEDY

Drink & Draw. 6 p.m. Savage Henry Comedy Club, 415 Fifth St., Eureka. See April 27 listing.

MOVIES

Star Wars Episode IV: Return of the Jedi (1983) - 40th Anniversary. 6-9:30 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show at 6 p.m. Raffle at 7 p.m. Movie starts at 7:05 p.m. All ages. Pre-show filled with popular and obscure *Star Wars* short films, trivia, a costume contest and raffle. Themed cocktail specials and retro video games in the lobby.

by \$10, \$14 admission and poster. info@arcatatheatre.com. facebook.com/events/1683882192050160/. (707) 613-3030.

MUSIC

Hip Hop Thursdays. 9 p.m.-2 a.m. The Jam, 915 H St., Arcata. See April 27 listing.

McKinleyville Community Choir Rehearsal. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Arcata Presbyterian Church, 670 11th St. See April 27 listing.

Monthly Sing-along. First Thursday of every month, 7-9:30 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. Sing your favorite folk, pop and rock songs of the '60s and '70s. Songbooks provided. \$3. joel@asis.com. (707) 407-6496.

THEATER

Clown. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. Performance marking the culmination of a five-week study of clown. Advance tickets online recommended. dellarte.com.

EVENTS

Fortuna Chamber Awards Dinner and Auction. 5:30 p.m. Fortuna River Lodge, 1800 Riverwalk Drive. Business awards, live entertainment, live and silent auction, games, table top decorating contest, raffles. Dinner by C. C. Catering. RSVP by April 28. No tickets at the door. \$75. fortunachamber.com/annualdinner2023.

FOOD

Volunteer Orientation Food for People. 3-4 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See April 27 listing.

ETC

Restorative Movement. 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See April 27 listing.

Trivia Night at the Historic Scotia Lodge. First Thursday of every month, 6-8 p.m. Scotia Lodge, 100 Main St. Free to join and prizes to the winners. All ages. Free. scotia-lodge.com/hosted-events. (707) 298-7139.

DJS

DJ Statik and Friends. 9 p.m. Thirsty Bear Lounge, Bear River Casino Resort, 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta. See April 27 listing.

Throw 'Em Back Thursdays. First Thursday of every month, 9 p.m. Wave Lounge, Blue Lake Casino, 777 Casino Way. DJ Statik spinning throwback, hip hop and R&B. Free. bluelakecasino.com/entertainment/wave.

OTHER

Lizzy Jeff Meet and Greet. 8-10 p.m. Herb & Market Humboldt, 427 H St., Arcata. Free. Herbandmarket@gmail.com. (707) 630-4221.

OPEN MIC

Blondies Open Mic. 6 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. See April 27 listing.

Siren's Song Open Mic. 7 p.m. The Siren's Song Tavern, 325 Second St., Eureka. See April 27 listing.

KARAOKE

G.O.A.T. Karaoke at the Goat. 8:30 p.m. Richards' Goat Tavern & Tea Room Miniplex, 401 I St., Arcata. See April 27 listing.

Heads Up ...

KEET-TV seeks participants aged 60-plus for the local show, What's on Your Bucket List?. Go to keet.org/bucket

and complete the online form by May 12. Call (707) 445-0813 if you have any questions.

Soroptimist International of Humboldt Bay invites applications for 2023 Club Giving Program. Deadline is May 1. Questions: sihumboltdbay@soroptimist.net. More information: soroptimistofhumboltdbay.com.

The California Native Plant Society North Coast Chapter invites you to sign up for an early-bird shopping appointment for the Spring Native Plant Sale May 6 (appointment only) and 7. Visit northcoastcnps.org to sign up and see details. No sign-up needed for Sunday.

Area One Agency on Aging seeks volunteers to help with rides to medical appointments, educate and assist people to make informed decisions about Medicare options, advocate for residents in nursing homes, assist with matching home providers and home seekers, or teach technology training to older adults. Apply at alaa.org/volunteer-interest-form/.

The Yurok Fire Department seeks four Native American women to train as wildland firefighters. To apply for the Women in Fire Program on the Yurok Reservation, fill out the application online at yuroktribe.org/job-opportunities.

KEET-TV seeks a diverse group of individuals to join its Community Advisory Board. Meetings are held quarterly on Zoom. Go to KEET.org to find the link at the bottom of the page.

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The B List

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Because this is an era defined in part by unearned nostalgia, we still frequently refer to a certain type of cinema as "B movies" or, if our geekiness tends to anachronism, "programmers." This calls back to a time when the movie industry was more siloed but also more disparate, when studios diverted resources and talent to less prestigious, less grandiose projects in order to control as much of the market as possible. This is a cynical perspective, but an industry that produces an infinitely resellable commodity from which the consumer walks away with literally nothing tangible may be an inherently cynical one, regardless of how much I love its output.

As the diversification of media has inevitably changed the studio model, though, we are left with vestigial, generally unhelpful labels. To call something a B movie, with apologies to David Hyde Pierce, suggests it is somehow "less than," a minor effort unqualified for top tier honors. But the B Team, especially with theatrical distribution in utter disarray, often has more to offer, in terms of style, substance and sheer entertainment, than the internationally proliferated megaliths thrust upon us as monoculture. And so, here follows a brief recounting of a few B movies available on streaming services; some recommended with fewer reservations than other(s).

ONE DAY AS A LION. Writer/director/producer John Swab has, in short order, established himself as a sort of individual studio system, churning out pictures at a rate largely unmatched in recent history. Since 2021, he has released five features, including three this year. Of those three, *Candy Land*, is a boldly sexualized slasher-thriller set among the culture of '90s truck stop sex workers — lot lizards — that dials up the lurid pulpiness while also showcasing deeply personalized characters, both in the writing and the performances. *Little Dixie* I have yet to see, but *One Day as a Lion*, written by and starring Scott Caan, harkens back to a time when we could depend on the occasional, clever, modestly scaled crime drama.

Somewhere in Oklahoma (Swab's home state and setting of choice), inept pseudo-criminal Jackie Powers (Caan) finds himself in an untenable position. With his teen-aged son Billy (Dash Melrose) being held on kidnapping charges and no remaining options, Jackie asks a favor of his local mob boss, Pauly (Frank Grillo). Simple enough: All Jackie has to do is murder a prominent local rancher (J.K. Simmons) who owes Pauly \$100k. Jackie botches the job, though, and ends up on the lam with a waitress named Lola (Marianne Rendón), the only daughter of the locally notorious Black Widow (Virginia Madsen), five times unlucky in matrimony and suffering from terminal cancer.

Caan has a cultivated screen presence, but obviously learned enough from his father not to try and copy him. Instead, he's got a convincing fighter's physicality underneath a transparent, seemingly unintentional, goofy kindness. He's also a clever writer, constructing a simple but detailed scenario and sturdily built relationships within it. The chemistry between Caan and Rendón particularly, ranging from dismissal to bemused tolerance to something more, feels authentic but also elevated enough to be entertaining.

Swab, journeyman that he seems to be, has an eye for the unassumingly cinematic, making the most of locations, camera placement, lighting and editing to make *One Day as a Lion* feel both ambitious and unpretentious, a throwback with foresight. R. 87M. STREAMING.

QUASI. So this is where the reservations temper the recommendations. I've been an ardent, sometimes outspoken advocate for the work of Broken Lizard (Jay Chandrasekhar, Kevin Heffernan, Steve Lemme, Erik Stolhanske and Paul Soter) ever since *Super Troopers* (2001) made my afternoon a couple decades ago. And I still believe it; *Club Dread* (2004) and *Beerfest* (2006) make up a near perfect comedy triptych that also plays with genre in inventive, joyfully stupid ways. I've been less hot on

their individual and collective output in the intervening period though Chandrasekhar has proven himself an exceedingly competent director of television comedy.

Somehow, the five of them decided (presumably with guidance from the financiers) that the best thing to do next would be to liberally adapt the story of Quasimodo, the hunchback of Notre Dame, into an R-rated comedy. They're striving for a Monty Python tribute, I think, with each of them assaying multiple roles and seasoning the works with testicle torture and cousin sex.

It doesn't work, but either because of nostalgia or goodwill or some degree of undeniable charm I still kind of like it. R. HULU.

SICK. It would ruin the surprise to say much, but this cabin-slasher from director John Hyams and writers Kevin Williamson (yeah, *Scream*) and Katelyn Crabb is probably the best movie I've seen so far about the COVID-19 pandemic.

Cleverly, simply plotted and executed with an unexpected degree of technique and artfulness, *Sick* distills the paranoia and uncertainty of April of 2020 into a bloody, gleeful horror-show that rivals *Barbarian* in terms of craft and cleverness. R. 83M. PEACOCK. ●

John J. Bennett (he/him) is a movie nerd who loves a good car chase.

NOW PLAYING

AIR. The sneakerhead drama about the birth of the Nike-Jordan branding partnership starring Ben Affleck and Matt Damon that nobody has been waiting for. R. 112M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK, MINOR.

ARE YOU THERE GOD? IT'S ME, MARGARET. Abby Ryder Fortson stars in the adaptation of the classic novel of adolescent girlhood and Ron DeSantis' nightmares. Get his ass, Judy Blume. PG13. 105M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

BEAU IS AFRAID. Joaquin Phoenix looking like hell again, this time as a man riddled with anxiety returning home after

his mother's death. R. 179M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK, MINOR.

BIG GEORGE FOREMAN. Pre-grill biopic of the boxer starring Khris Davis. 129M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

THE BLACK DEMON. A family stuck on an oil rig off Mexico evades a giant shark with grudges. R. 100M. BROADWAY.

THE COVENANT. Director Guy Ritchie goes to war with Jake Gyllenhaal as a U.S. soldier and Dar Salim as an Afghani interpreter. R. 123M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS: HONOR AMONG THIEVES. Get in, nerds. Chris Pine and Michelle Rodriguez are going on an epic quest. PG13. 140M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

EVIL DEAD RISE. It's sisters vs. monsters in the continuation of the gory franchise. R. 97M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

JOHN WICK: CHAPTER 4. Keanu Reeves returns as the globe-trotting hitman and dog lover on the run from an international cast of stylish killers. R. 169M. BROADWAY.

MET OPERA: CHAMPION. Terence Blanchard's opera starring Ryan Speedo Green as young boxer Emile Griffith. NR. 180M. MINOR.

RENFIELD. Comedy-horror about Dracula's assistant (Nicholas Hoult) trying to get away from his toxic boss (Nicolas Cage). R. 93M. BROADWAY.

SISU. Nazis steal gold from a legendary Finnish veteran (Jorma Tommila) who goes Nordic *John Wick* on them. R. 91M. BROADWAY.

SUPER MARIO BROS. MOVIE. Mustachioed brothers race to save a princess. Starring Chris Pratt, Charlie Day and Anna Taylor-Joy. PG. 92M. BROADWAY (3D), MILL CREEK (3D), MINOR.

SUZUME. A teenage girl uses magical doors to prevent disasters in Japan in this anime that will probably make you cry. PG. 122M. MINOR.

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ANSWERS NEXT WEEK!

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1. Teeming throng

6. Fargo's state: Abbr.

10. Result of branching out?

14. Unfamiliar

15. East Indies tourist destination

16. "I feel pretty, _____ pretty" ("West Side Story" lyric)

17. Zed?

19. What sirens do

20. Lombardi Trophy org.

21. Dish next to stuffing and cranberry sauce

22. You might sleep on it

23. Security guard's viewing, for short

24. Ornamental projection on some 1950s cars

26. Classic name for a poodle

29. Kitchen doohickey

31. Lacking scruples, say

34. Ladies' man

39. AI?

41. It might get under your skin

42. "_____ the Spider" (classic African folk tale)

43. Watering holes in deserts

45. They're heard in herds

46. Stop patronizing

50. "Let's ... never do that"

53. Gabrielle of "Being Mary Jane"

54. "Hamilton" won one in 2015

55. 401(k) kin

58. Treats with a cold pack

59. Nelson?

62. _____ classic

63. Hammock support

64. 2016 Nobel Prize in Literature winner

65. Converse alternative

66. "Race Matters" writer Cornel

67. 1865 and 1945, e.g.

2016 Nobel Prize in Literature winner

65. Converse alternative

66. "Race Matters" writer Cornel

67. 1865 and 1945, e.g.

13. Mideast's _____ Heights

18. Tell (on)

22. When repeated, name in 1968 news

23. Wispy clouds

24. Picard's counselor

25. Health insurance giant

26. Website help sections

27. Sleepyhead's response

28. Young horse

30. Emmy winner Woodard

32. When some do lunch

33. Unleash upon

35. Hertz competitor

36. What a GOP member might call their pro-immigrant, pro-choice colleague, for short

37. "This _____ unfair!"

38. Redding in the Memphis Music Hall of Fame

40. Take five

44. Rent what you've rented

46. General Motors brand

47. Promptly

48. Defer (to)

49. Expenses

51. 60 secs.

52. High-maintenance

54. Flamenco cheers

55. Fisher of "Wedding Crashers"

56. 2013 Katy Perry hit

57. St. _____ Bay, Jamaica

59. Online initialism of rejoicing

60. Suffix with text or fail

61. Ingredient in soapmaking

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS TO TRIPLETS

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NCJ FIELD NOTES

The Rosetta Stone

By Barry Evans

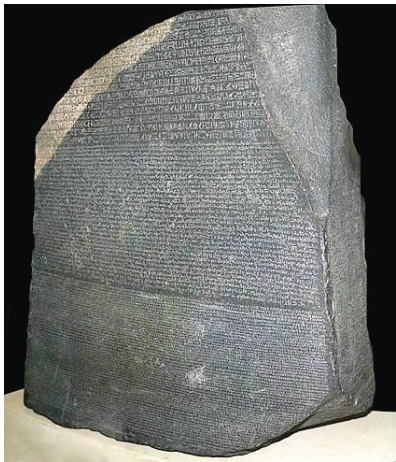
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When Napoleon Bonaparte set his sights on clearing the British out of Egypt in 1798, he took with him 160 savants in his 400-ship invasion fleet. These worthies were scientists, artists and historians who, supposedly, would bring the lost civilization of the Egyptian pharaohs to light, thus ensuring Napoleon's legacy not only as a conqueror, but as a scholar and a gentleman. Which is how the so-called Rosetta Stone came to be preserved. In July of 1799, workers rebuilding a fort at present-day Rashid (near Alexandria) happened upon a heavy chunk of granite-like granodiorite. Seeing its inscribed polished face, savant-on-the-spot Pierre-François Bouchard realized it might be of value to linguists and philologists.

Two years later, the 1,700-pound stone was installed in a custom-built wing in London's British Museum. Why not Paris? Because after British admiral Horatio Nelson destroyed the French fleet, the Brits claimed the stone as a spoil of war (the Egyptians not being consulted). Why the fuss over a 4-foot-high slab of stone? Because even a cursory glance shows that it's inscribed in not one, but three, styles of writing: **hieroglyphics** (the "lost" Egyptian priestly writing, not used since the Roman emperor Theodosius outlawed pagan worship at the end of the 4th century), **demotic** (a "shorthand" version of hieroglyphic script, also lost) and **ancient Greek** (well known and understood by linguistics then and now).

Bouchard was probably the first to realize the Rosetta stone might be the key to recovering the lost languages of Egypt. Once it had been installed in the British Museum, copies (both plaster and "rub-bings") were sent to centers of learning in Europe and to Philadelphia, where amateur and professional philologists gave it their best shot at matching the unknown hieroglyphic and demotic writing with the Greek; they knew the texts did match because the Greek text said so. It took another 20 years to figure it out, at which time — suddenly — the thousands upon thousands of hieroglyphics on ancient Egyptian temples and tombs, walls and columns, were readable, shining a light on a great civilization previously known only from its architectural wonders.

Two interpreters did the heavy lifting.



The 4-foot-tall Rosetta Stone. Fourteen lines of hieroglyphic text at the top, 32 lines of demotic ("shorthand hieroglyphic") text in the middle and 53 lines of Ancient Greek at the bottom. Photo by Hans Hillewaert, Creative Commons

Thomas Young was an English physician and gentleman-scientist who made the original breakthrough, realizing the stone's "cartouches" (oval-shaped enclosures in the text naming non-Egyptian rulers) were phonetic. Frenchman Jean-François Champollion, 17 years Young's junior, was a brilliant linguist who had learned, among many other languages, Coptic, which descended from Ancient Egyptian and is still used by the Egyptian Orthodox Church. Champollion ran with Young's cartouche interpretations but that turned out to be just the start in deciphering the complex hieroglyphics. After five years' intense work, he wrote that the script was "at the same time figurative, symbolic and phonetic, in one and the same text [and even] in the same word." No wonder it took so long! (Young and Champollion died early, at 55 and 41, respectively, both as honored scientists.)

The text of the Rosetta Stone itself — which reappeared in at least three other stelae subsequently found — is comparatively uninteresting. Originally set up in 196 B.C. in a nearby temple, the stone celebrates the coronation of the Pharaoh Ptolemy V, "... who has secured Egypt and made it prosper ... who has enriched the lives of his people ... the god manifest whose beneficence is perfect." It wasn't the text itself, but the opportunity the stone gave to linguists, and hence to historians, that makes the Rosetta Stone so valuable and, incidentally, the most visited object in the vast British Museum collection.

It's also one of the most controversial pieces: Why shouldn't it be returned to its country of origin? Egyptian archaeologists want to know. Like the Elgin Marbles (saved/stolen from Greece in the early 1800s), the story of the Rosetta Stone is unfinished. ●

Barry Evans (he/him, barryevans9@yahoo.com) always makes Room No. 4 of the British Museum his first stop on his near annual pilgrimage there, where he pays due obeisance to the topic of this column.

**NOTICE OF HEARING
DECEDENT'S ESTATE OR TRUST
ESTATE OF
EVELYN SMITH, DECEDENT
CASE NUMBER PR2300081**

This notice is required by law. You are not required to appear in court, but you may attend the hearing and object or respond if you wish. If you do not respond or attend the hearing, the court may act on the filing without you.
1. NOTICE is given that: MAUREEN CATALINA (fiduciary or representative capacity, if any): has filed a petition, application, report, or account (specify complete title and briefly describe): Petition for Letters of Administration, Authorization of Administer Under the Independent Administration of Estates Act.

A HEARING on the matter described in 1 will be held as follows:

Date: May 25, 2023 Time: 1:31 PM
Dept: 4 located at: SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, CA 95501 Humboldt County Courthouse

NOTICE: If the filing described in 1 is a report of the status of a decedent's estate administration made under Probate Code section 12200, YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO PETITION FOR AN ACCOUNTING UNDER SECTION 10950 OF THE PROBATE CODE.
Attorney for Petitioner:
Law Office of Callie R. Buck
Callie R Buck
1055 Main Street #5
Fortuna, CA 95540
(707) 719-2081

File Date: March 29, 2023
4/27, 5/4, 5/11 (23-152)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
KOMISHE TSING KAN aka
KOMISHE KAN ANDERSON
CASE NO. PR2300097**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of KOMISHE TSING KAN aka KOMISHE KAN ANDERSON
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner JOMRA KAN
In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt.
The petition for probate requests that JOMRA KAN be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.)

The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on May 18, 2023 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: #4, Room: #4

For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
Jocelyn M. Godinho, Esq.
350 E Street, 1st Floor
Eureka, CA 95501
(707) 442-7262
Filed: April 21, 2023
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
ROSALIE SEELYE-MARTIN
CASE NO. PR2300089**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of ROSALIE SEELYE-MARTIN
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner PATRICK NOONAN
In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt.
The petition for probate requests that PATRICK NOONAN be appointed as personal representa-

tive to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.)
The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on May 11, 2023 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 4, Room: 4

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IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:
Jocelyn M. Godinho, Esq.
350 E Street
Eureka, CA 95501
(707) 442-7262
Filed: April 11, 2023
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

**LEGALS?
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**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
SHARON LYNN CUTTER,
SHARON LYNN KANE,
SHARON LYNN KOHNE
CASE NO. PR2300092**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of SHARON LYNN CUTTER, SHARON LYNN KANE, SHARON LYNN KOHNE
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner RICKY STUART SMITH
In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt.
The petition for probate requests that RICKY STUART SMITH be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.)
The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on May 18, 2023 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: CR4.

For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.
IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.
YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may

file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
RICKY STUART SMITH
3071 BONANZA ST
McKINLEYVILLE, CA 95519
(707) 496-8406
Filed: April 17, 2023
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

**PUBLISHED NOTICE OF
SEIZURE AND NON-JUDICIAL
FORFEITURE**

On December 13th, 2022, Deputies from the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office seized property for forfeiture in connection with controlled substance violations, to wit, Section 11359 of the Health and Safety Code of California from Norman Court in Eureka, California. The seized property is described as: \$11,843.00 in US currency and Control Number 23-F-01 has been assigned to this case. Use this number to identify the property in any correspondence with the Office of the Humboldt County District Attorney.

**PUBLISHED NOTICE OF
SEIZURE AND NON-JUDICIAL
FORFEITURE**

On February 20th, 2023, Deputies from the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office seized property for forfeiture in connection with controlled substance violations, to wit, Section 11359 of the Health and Safety Code of California from Old State Highway in Alton, California. The seized property is described as: \$19,939.00 in US currency and Control Number 23-F-04 has been assigned to this case. Use this number to identify the property in any correspondence with the Office of the Humboldt County District Attorney.

If your claim is not timely filed, the Humboldt County District Attorney will declare the property described in this notice to be forfeited to the State and it will be disposed of as provided in Health and Safety Code Section 11489.

LEGALS?

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Notice is given
that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to Sections 21700-21716 of the Business & Professions Code, Section 2328 of the UCC, Section 535 of the Penal Code and provisions of the civil Code. The undersigned will sell at auction by competitive bidding on the 28th of April, 2023, 482 Wildwood Ave, Rio Dell is at 10:30am; 1799 Smith Lane, Fortuna is at 11am.

482 Wildwood Ave #42 / Edvin Batres
482 Wildwood Ave #37 / Liliana Dominguez
482 Wildwood Ave #34 / Dorothy Lucas
482 Wildwood Ave #13, 14 / Edie Thompson
1799 Smith Ln #16 / Cassandra Campbell
1799 Smith Ln #1 / George Roberson

Six Rivers Property Management
755 12th Street
Fortuna, CA 95540
(707) 725-1094

**SUMMONS (Citation Judicial)
CASE NUMBER: CV2300257**

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT:
(AVISO AL DEMANDADO):

JAMES CORTAZAR, an Individual

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAIN-TIFF:
(LO ESTÁ DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE):

ANDRE CARE, an Individual

NOTICE! You have been sued. The court may decide against you without your being heard unless you respond within 30 days. Read the information below.

You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an

attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/self-help), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of \$10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case, as the person sued under the fictitious name of (specify): iAVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 días, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su versión. Lea la información a continuación.

Tiene 30 DÍAS DE CALENDARIO después de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.sucorte.ca.gov) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos por imponer un gravamen sobre cualquier recuperación de \$10,000 ó más de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el caso.

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y dirección de la corte es): Humboldt County Superior Court 825 Fifth Street Eureka, CA 95501 The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es): Lance Rogers, Esq. 757 Emory Street, #215 Imperial Beach, CA 91932 (619) 333*6882 Date: February 14, 2023 clerk, by David V. Kim M. Bartleson, deputy

4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18 (23-140)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00201

The following person is doing Business as **J & M PROPERTY MANAGEMENT/ 2K WOODWORKS/JMK EQUIPMENT RENTALS**

Humboldt 1250 Oeschger Road Ferndale, CA 95536

Rendak Enterprises Corp CA 5118208 1250 Oeschger Road Ferndale, CA 95536

The business is conducted by a Corporation. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

/s/ Jedediah Cruz, President This March 27, 2023 JUAN P. CERVANTES by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/13, 4/20, 4/27, 5/4 (23-126)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00203

The following person is doing Business as **RIDELINE SHARPENING**

Humboldt 2158 A St Eureka, CA 95501

Thomas W Neff 2158 A St Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.

A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Thomas Neff, Owner This March 27, 2023 JUAN P. CERVANTES by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27 (23-117)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00205

The following person is doing Business as **ALIVE AND WELL**

Humboldt 280 Aldergrove Rd Suite A Arcata, CA 95521

Humboldt Harvest Inc CA 3786049 732 5th St Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by a Corporation. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on November 2, 2022 I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to

Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s/ Esther Benemann, President This March 28, 2023 JUAN P. CERVANTES by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18 (23-158)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00206

The following person is doing Business as **HHW**

Humboldt 2355 Central Ave #123 McKinleyville, CA 95519

Humboldt Harvest Wellness CA 3950139 2355 Central Ave #123 McKinleyville, CA 95519

The business is conducted by a Corporation. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on January 1, 2023 I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the regis-

CR COLLEGE OF THE REDWOODS

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR SPECIAL TESTS & INSPECTION SERVICES

College of the Redwoods (the "College") invites proposals from qualified inspection firms to perform Testing and Special Inspection Services on the new **Physical Education Replace Existing Project** at the College of the Redwoods Eureka Campus.

Interested firms are invited to submit their proposals, which shall include an electronic copy of the requested materials by email or mailed thumb drive to Julia Morrison, Vice President, Administrative Services at the address listed below.

Questions regarding this RFP may be directed to Julia Morrison at Julia-Morrison@redwoods.edu, Vice President, Administrative Services.

All proposals shall be received on or before: **May 25th, 2023 @ 2:00 PM P.S.T.**

All responses to this RFP received by the specified deadline will be reviewed by the College for completeness, content, experience, and qualifications. For those firms deemed most qualified, further evaluation and interviews may be conducted as part of the final selection process. However, the College reserves the right to complete the selection process without proceeding to an interview process, and may choose to select based on the information supplied in the Statement of Qualifications and Proposal.

This request does not commit the College to award a contract. The College expressly reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or accept all or part of any proposals. The College reserves the right to select the firm(s) whose qualifications, in the College's sole judgment, best meet the needs of the College.

RFP DUE TIME AND DATE: May 25, 2023 @ 2:00 PM P.S.T.
DELIVERY LOCATION: 7351 Tompkins Hill Rd, Eureka, CA 95501
PURCHASING CONTACT: Julia Morrison
E-MAIL: Julia-Morrison@redwoods.edu

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CR COLLEGE OF THE REDWOODS

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR DSA INSPECTION SERVICES - INSPECTOR OF RECORD

College of the Redwoods (the "College") invites proposals from qualified inspection firms to perform DSA Inspection Services on the new **Physical Education Replace Existing Project** at the College of the Redwoods Eureka Campus.

Interested firms are invited to submit their proposals, which shall include an electronic copy of the requested materials by email or mailed thumb drive to Julia Morrison, Vice President, Administrative Services at the address listed below.

Questions regarding this RFP may be directed to Julia Morrison Julia-morrison@redwoods.edu, Vice President, Administrative Services.

All proposals shall be received on or before: **May 25th, 2023 @ 2:00 PM P.S.T.**

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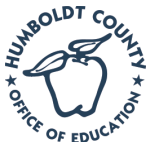
RFP DUE TIME AND DATE: May 25, 2023 @ 2:00 PM P.S.T.
DELIVERY LOCATION: 7351 Tompkins Hill Rd, Eureka, CA 95501
PURCHASING CONTACT: Julia Morrison
E-MAIL: Julia-Morrison@redwoods.edu

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Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Esther Benemann, President
This March 28, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18 (23-157)

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Humboldt County Office of Education has completed an Initial Study for the following described project at the following location:

The Humboldt County Office of Education is the lead agency for the preparation and review of an Initial Study/Negative Declaration (IS/MND) for the proposed Glen Paul School Modernization Project. The project site is located at 2501 Cypress Avenue, in Eureka, California. The proposed project involves the construction of a new single-story classroom building, single-story administration facility building, and reconstruction and modernization of a multi-use building on the existing Glen Paul School property. Glen Paul School would continue to serve as HCOE's public special education school designed to meet the special education needs of children and youth from ages 3 to 22 in the Humboldt Community. Currently, the student population is approximately 80 students. school would serve up to approximately 130 students. The anticipated enrollment for fall 2023 is approximately 104 to 130 students.

The newly constructed classroom building would provide four classrooms, two shared offices, and eight restrooms. The newly constructed administration facility building would provide a principal's office, two speech therapist offices, two psychology offices, speech aid office, data clerk office, conference room, staff lounge, work room, IT office, two restrooms, janitor room, and storage and electrical room. These two buildings would be connected as one building with a covered walkway between and encompass approximately 8,456 square feet. The footprint of the multi-use building would not change, and the area demolished and reconstructed would be approximately 9,000 square feet and provide a multi-use room, multi-use therapy room, conference room, principal's office, reception office, speech office, speech therapy room, three offices, two staff restrooms, two dressing rooms, kitchen and pantry, storage room, laundry room, janitor room.

The Initial Study was completed in accordance with the Humboldt County Board of Education's Guidelines implementing the California Environmental Quality Act. This Initial Study was undertaken for the purpose of deciding whether the project may have a significant effect on the environment. On the basis of such Initial Study, the Humboldt County Board of Education's staff have concluded that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, and has, therefore, prepared a Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration. The Initial Study reflects the independent judgment of the Humboldt County Board of Education.

The Project site is not on a list compiled pursuant to Government Code section 65962.5.

The proposed Project is not considered a project of statewide, regional or areawide significance.

The proposed Project will not affect highways or other facilities under the jurisdiction of the State Department of Transportation.

Copies of the Initial Study and Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration are on file at Humboldt County Clerk-Recorder's Office, 825 5th Street, 5th Floor, Eureka, California 95501, and are available for public review. Electronic format of the document(s) are also available for public review at <https://hcoe.org/news/public-notice/> or by contacting Katie Cavanagh, Director of Special Education at kcavanagh@hcoe.org or (707) 445-7034.

The 30-day public review period for the Initial Study and Draft Mitigated Negative Declaration is from **May 1st, 2023, to May 31st, 2023**. Any person wishing to comment on this matter must submit such comments, in writing, to the Humboldt County Office of Education prior to **May 31st, 2023**. Comments of all Responsible Agencies are also requested.

If the Humboldt County Board of Education finds that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment, it may adopt the Negative Declaration/Mitigated Negative Declaration. This means that the Humboldt County Board of Education may proceed to consider the Project without the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report. The Humboldt County Board of Education will consider this item at a regular public meeting on June 14th, 2023, at 3:00 PM.

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00207

The following person is doing Business as
HERE AND THERE NOTARY SERVICE/SUNSET RIDGE GARDENS

Humboldt
2011 Sunset Ridge Rd
Blocksburg, CA 95514

PO Box 100
Blocksburg, CA 95514

Linda S Sherby
2011 Sunset Ridge Rd
Blocksburg, CA 95514

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on April 4, 2018
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Linda S. Sherby, Owner
This March 28, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27 (23-114)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00209

The following person is doing Business as
EUREKA CORPORATE HOUSING/ CORPORATE HOUSING AND RELOCATION

Humboldt
1864 Myrtle Ave
Eureka, CA 95501

Cynthia J Nicklas
2868 Sand Pointe Dr
McKinleyville, CA 95519

David P Nicklas
2339 Alfred Circle
Eureka, CA 95503

John M Nicklas
2124 Munson Court
Eureka, CA 95501

Phillip T Nicklas
1145 Leslie Road
Eureka, CA 95503

The business is conducted by a General Partnership.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Cynthia J Nicklas, Business Owner
This March 28, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27 (23-118)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00210

The following person is doing Business as
FRESH & FRUITY GRILL & MORE

Humboldt
3300 Broadway St. #430
Eureka, CA 95501

2378 Meadowbrook Drive
Eureka, CA 95503

La Patria Mariscos and Grill
Restaurant
CA C3902379
6690 Fields Landing
Fields Landing, CA 95537

The business is conducted by a Corporation.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on March 2018
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Siclari Ayala, CEO
This March 29, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27 (23-119)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00212

The following person is doing Business as
CANOPYRIGHT

Humboldt
5046 Echo Lane
Bayside, CA 95524

600 F Street, Ste3, #727
Arcata, CA 95521

O&B Solutions LLC
California 202124510056
5046 Echo Lane
Bayside, CA 95524

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on March 28, 2023
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Kelsey A Parker, Vice President
This March 29, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27 (23-116)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00213

The following person is doing Business as
HUMBOLDT BAY COFFEE/NORCAL COFFEE ROASTERS/HUMBOLDT COFFEE ROASTERS

Humboldt
526 Opera Alley
Eureka, CA 95501

Culture & Coffee
CA 5595188
520 2nd Street
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by a Corporation.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
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/s Lucia Ramirez, CEO
This March 29, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27 (23-121)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00216

The following person is doing Business as
BABY'S BEST DIAPER SERVICE

Humboldt
3562 Fieldbrook Rd
McKinleyville, CA 95519

Mother Made Magic LLC
CA 202355718287
3562 Fieldbrook Rd
McKinleyville, CA 95519

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Nina Transue, CEO
This April 3, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11 (23-143)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00217

The following person is doing Business as
J.H. CONSTRUCTION

Humboldt
3850 G St
Eureka, CA 95503

Joel Haraldson
3850 G St
Eureka, CA 95503

The business is conducted by an Individual.

The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on April 3, 2023
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Joel Haraldson, Owner
This April 3, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27 (23-122)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00224

The following person is doing Business as
AKASHIC BOOKKEEPING

Humboldt
1477 Whitmire Ave
McKinleyville, CA 95519

PO Box 264
Trinidad, CA 95570

Georgia R Sliker
1477 Whitmire Ave
McKinleyville, CA 95519

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on April 03, 2023
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s Georgia Sliker, Owner
This April 4, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11 (23-137)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 23-00225

The following person is doing Business as
YOUR LOCAL TREE EXPERT

Humboldt
3990 Broadway Street
Eureka, CA 95503

Tree Service Ventures, Inc.
CA 5537590
3990 Broadway Street
Eureka, CA 95503

The business is conducted by a Corporation.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true

any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

/s/ Geronimo Zuniga, President
This April 4, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/13, 4/20, 4/27, 5/4 (23-123)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 23-00226**

The following person is doing Business as
Refined Vision Detailing

Humboldt
26 West 6th St.
Eureka, CA 95501

Ryan D Leahy
268 Wabash Ave.
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by an individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s/ Ryan Leahy, Owner
This April 4, 2023
KELLY E. SANDERS
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/13, 4/20, 4/27, 5/4 (23-131)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 23-00227**

The following person is doing Business as
VINTAGE AVENGER

Humboldt
1101 H St #I
Arcata, CA 95521

758 16th St
Arcata, CA 95521

Nancy A Tobin
758 16th St
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on June 1999
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

/s/ Nancy Tobin, Owner
This April 4, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11 (23-133)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 23-00234**

The following person is doing Business as
CANN-DO ATTITUDE OLD SCHOOL CULTIVATIONS/PARADISE FLAT FARM

Humboldt
78 Shively Flat Rd
Scotia, CA 95565

455 Shively Flat Rd
Scotia, CA 95565

Elizabeth A Dunlap
78 Shively Flat Rd
Scotia, CA 95565

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on December 17, 2017
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s/ Elizabeth A Dunlap, Owner
This April 7, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

4/13, 4/20, 4/27, 5/4 (23-132)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 23-00237**

The following person is doing Business as
JILLYBEANS EMPORIUM

Humboldt
1321 Bay St
Eureka, CA 95501

Jill M Ross
1321 Bay St
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on June 13, 2008
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s/ Jill M Ross, Owner
This April 7, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11 (23-138)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 23-00244**

The following person is doing Business as
FOGGY BAY UPHOLSTERY

Humboldt
302 W. Hawthorn St.
Eureka, CA 95501

Mark D. Robens
302 W. Hawthorn St.
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on April 12, 2023
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s/ Mark Robens, Owner
This April 12, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11 (23-135)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 23-00258**

The following person is doing Business as
NORCAL WATER DELIVERY

Humboldt
899 Bayside Cutoff Rd
Bayside, CA 95524

Aquasolutions LLC
CA 20162591034
899 Bayside Cutoff Rd
Bayside, CA 95524

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s/ Jason Call, Managing Member
This April 14, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18 (23-148)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 23-00262**

The following person is doing Business as
HUMBOLDT PLUMBING

Humboldt
6261 Berry Ln
Eureka, CA 95503

PO Box 375
Cutten, CA 95534

Cameron S Arbaugh
6261 Berry Ln
Eureka, CA 95503

The business is conducted by an Individual.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s/ Cameron Arbaugh, Sole Proprietor
This April 17, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18 (23-149)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
STATEMENT 23-00269**

The following person is doing Business as
WOODY'S AUTO REPAIR

Humboldt
610 L Street
Fortuna, CA 95540

Brenda I Lambert
877 9th Ave
Trinidad, CA 95570

Nico N Woody
877 9th Ave
Trinidad, CA 95570

The business is conducted by a Married Couple.
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
/s/ Brenda Lambert, Co-Owner
This April 19, 2023
JUAN P. CERVANTES
by jc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18 (23-150)

**STATEMENT OF ABANDON-
MENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS
BUSINESS NAME
FILE NO. 18-00243**

The following person has abandoned the use of the fictitious business name GOLDEN STATE GREENHOUSE & GARDEN PRODUCTS
Humboldt
1887 Thelma St
Fortuna, CA 95540

The fictitious business name was filed in HUMBOLDT County on April 23, 2018
Mark Oliver
1887 Thelma St
Fortuna, CA 95540
This business was conducted by: An Individual
/s/ Marc Oliver, Owner/Manager
This statement was filed with the HUMBOLDT County Clerk on the date April 5, 2023
I hereby certify that this copy is a true and correct copy of the original statement on file in my office
Juan P. Cervantes
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

4/13, 4/20, 4/27, 5/4 (23-130)

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME
DON LEONARD HARLOW
CASE NO. CV2300504**

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH ST.
EUREKA, CA. 95501
PETITION OF:
DON LEONARD HARLOW
Present name
DON LEONARD HARLOW
to Proposed Name
DON LEONARD DRAKE
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: May 26, 2023
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4

To appear remotely, check in advance of the hearing for information about how to do so on the court's website. To find your court's website, go to www.courts.ca.gov/find-my-court.htm.

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: April 13, 2023
Filed: April 13, 2023
/s/ Timothy A. Canning
Judge of the Superior Court

4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11 (23-139)

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME
FAUNTELLE YOUNG
CASE NO. CV2300477**

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH ST.
EUREKA, CA. 95501

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME
FAUNTELLE YOUNG
CASE NO. CV2300477**

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH ST.
EUREKA, CA. 95501
PETITION OF:
FAUNTELLE YOUNG
Present name
FAUNTELLE YOUNG
to Proposed Name
VICTORIA ELLE STANFORD
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: May 12, 2023
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4

To appear remotely, check in advance of the hearing for information about how to do so on the court's website. To find your court's website, go to www.courts.ca.gov/find-my-court.htm.

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: March 24, 2023
Filed: March 24, 2023
/s/ Timothy A. Canning
Judge of the Superior Court

4/6, 4/13, 4/20, 4/27 (23-115)

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME
SANDRA LOU LEE
CASE NO. CV2300582**

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH ST.
EUREKA, CA. 95501
PETITION OF:
SANDRA LOU LEE
Present name
SANDRA LOU LEE
to Proposed Name
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THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to

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NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: May 26, 2023
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4

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COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: April 12, 2023
Filed: April 12, 2023
/s/ Timothy A. Canning
Judge of the Superior Court

4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11 (23-136)

**ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR
CHANGE OF NAME
LISA MARIE ROBERSON
CASE NO. CV2300617**

SUPERIOR COURT
OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH ST.
EUREKA, CA. 95501
PETITION OF:
LISA MARIE ROBERSON
Present name
LISA MARIE ROBERSON
to Proposed Name
LISA MARIE RANSFORD
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persons interested in this matter
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cause, if any, why the petition for
change of name should not be
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Date: June 2, 2023
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4

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EUREKA, CA 95501
Date: April 17, 2023
Filed: April 17, 2023
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Judge of the Superior Court

4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18 (23-159)

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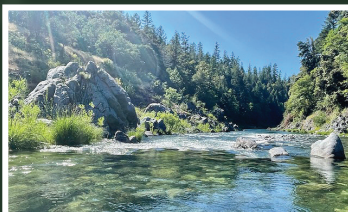
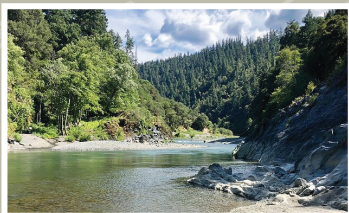
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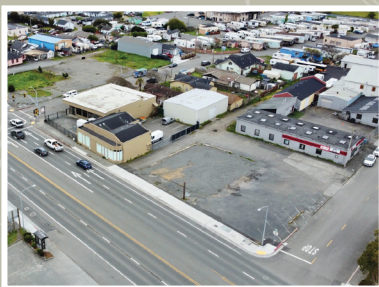


FEATURED LISTING!

6099 FOREST ROUTE 6N06, WILLOW CREEK

\$950,000

Enjoy the rarity of a private sandy beach on the South Fork of the Trinity River on this ±69 acre property developed with sustainability in mind! This property has the perfect infrastructure for an organic farmshare, community sustained agriculture, or accommodating groups for retreats, camping, and so much more! Take advantage of the multiple existing structures including a beautiful 2/1 home, delightful yurt, open air community kitchen, and multiple shops. Large multi-acre flats leave plenty of space remaining to bring your vision to life! Bonus cannabis permits can be included in sale. Come see all this versatile property has to offer!



3534 BROADWAY,
EUREKA
\$350,000

High visibility ±0.30
acre commercial lot on
Broadway! Commercial

Service zoning allows for a plethora of uses. Ready
for your business with utilities at the street.



8321 SOUTH FORK
ROAD, SALYER
\$350,000

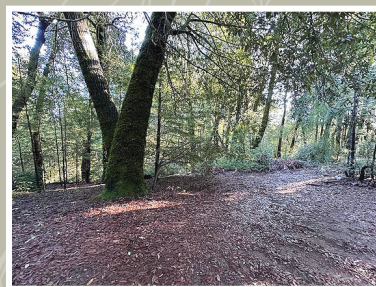
Beautiful ±50 acre
property with easy
access on a paved
County road. Parcel
features large open
meadows, oak & scattered fir trees, plenty of flat
useable space, creek, and power running through
the property. Just minutes from all the recreational
opportunities of the South Fork of the Trinity River.



MYERS INN,
MYERS FLAT
\$1,100,000

The Historic Myers Inn
awaits its new Owner! Take
advantage of the extremely
opportune location
between Highway 101 and

the famous Avenue of the Giants for your next hotel or B&B
venture! With 11 charming rooms, large entry/sitting room
with beautiful brick fireplace, laundry room, and service
kitchen in place, this renowned property is ready to be
brought back to its former glory!



10655 BRICELAND-THORNE
ROAD, WHITETHORN
\$300,000

±80 Acres in Southern
Humboldt conveniently
located 25 minutes from
Highway 101! Parcel is
undeveloped, heavily
wooded and features mixed timber, sloping topography,
seasonal creek, and easy access off County roads. The
lower portion (Briceland Road) is adjacent to sanctuary
land with year round McKee Creek running through.



150 ARNENSEN LANE,
SALYER
\$79,000

Owner may carry
1st with 40% down
payment. Serenity and
gorgeous mountain

views with plenty of usable space to develop an
ideal country getaway. Salyer Community Water is
developed to the property.



1770 TOMPKINS HILL
ROAD, FORTUNA
\$819,000

Gorgeous home and 2nd unit
on over 3 flat acres with
plenty of space for work or
hobbies! The main 3 bedroom,
2 bathroom house is move in
ready with a well appointed kitchen, new flooring & paint, laundry
room, and beautiful master suite! An entertainer's dream with a
sizable sunroom opening to the large deck showcasing the stunning
views of the Ferndale Valley. The brand new attached secondary
unit features 2 bedrooms, 1 bathroom, and a sunny open concept.

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